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LANDSLIDE BURIES WHITLAM

Aussies Turn Right

Times News Service

CANBERRA — A Conservative leaning coalition, headed by a millionaire farmer scored a landslide victory over the Australian Labor Party in today's election.

Early returns indicate the Liberal-National Country party coalition headed by Malcolm Fraser might gain up to a 50-seat majority in the 127-seat House of Representatives.

Labor held a three-seat majority in the last Parliament.

With 63 per cent of the vote for the House counted, the winning coalition with 84 seats has gained 7 per cent on its vote in last year's election. Labor, with 39 seats, was down by 5.3 per cent.

Four seats are still in doubt.

The Conservative victory was largely attributed to discontent of the public with labor's economic policies.

Australia has an inflation rate of 15 per cent and 400,000 unemployed.

Fraser, 45, has been caretaker prime minister since Labor leader Gough Whitlam was fired a month ago by Governor-General John Kerr following a budgetary deadlock.

In Sydney, the president of the Australian Labor party, Bob Hawke, said his party suffered "a stunning defeat."

"I think it will be a disaster for government in this country that the majority will be so large," he said.

Counting for the Senate was much slower but early returns indicated an anti-Labor trend here as well.

"We have lost a very great number of seats," Whitlam said in Canberra.

"The Liberal party has gained a great number of seats. Let me congratulate them on their success."

Fraser told reporters in Melbourne: "I don't see this as a victory for the Liberal party. It is a win for Australia."

He said the coalition won because of its policies "to move Australia forward."

IRA Bomb Factory Raided

LONDON (UPI) — Police found a bomb factory in London today and Scotland Yard chief Sir Robert Mark said its discovery was a direct outcome of the successful six-day Balcombe Street siege and the capture of four Irish gunmen.

In a raid on a North London apartment police confiscated explosives, detonators, a rifle and quantities of ammunition, Mark said.

Congratulations flooded in to the police from all sides — including Queen Elizabeth and Prime Minister Harold Wilson — for their capture of the four-man Irish Republican Army gang after a bloodless but nerve-testing siege that lasted almost six days.

One of the gunmen is Michael Wilson, prime suspect in the murder two weeks ago of Ross McWhirter, co-founder of the Guinness Book of Records.

Residents of the Balcombe Street area began organizing a collection for the policemen involved.

Vancouver rush-hour snarled by snow (above) and the big push (below)

Blizzard Blitzes Mainland

Times News Services

A 16-hour snowstorm centred on the lower mainland dumped 24.12 centimetres (9.5 inches) of snow on Vancouver Friday and overnight and caused widespread traffic chaos.

Rush hour traffic was snarled Friday by abandoned cars and innumerable minor accidents.

Hundreds of people gave up attempts to fight the nightmarish traffic and took advantage of special rates being offered by many hotels and spent the night in the city.

Police described roads as "asbolutely critical" and urged motorists to leave their cars at home. Traffic was slow on most roads and the Lions Gate and Patullo bridges were periodically closed.

Metropolitan Ambulance reported it was a couple of hours behind in answering calls. Bus service was in operation but long delays were reported.

The storm also forced postponement of a National Hockey League game between the Vancouver Canucks and the Philadelphia Flyers. The game will be played Feb. 18.

Locally, snow tires or chains are required on the Malahat due to icy conditions caused by a storm which dumped between one and 12 inches of snow on various parts of Vancouver Island Friday.

RCMP reported icy spots on the Island Highway between the Malahat and Campbell River. The road has been sanded but snow flurries are expected where temperatures still remain below zero.

The snow created treacherous driving conditions between Nanaimo and Campbell River.

At Gold River and Campbell River 12 inches of snow created traffic chaos and some 30 accidents were reported in the area.

RCMP said driving conditions between Nanaimo and Parksville Friday were treacherous due to a six-inch snowfall.

Snow also delayed landings at Vancouver International Airport and two Air Canada flights into Pat Bay Airport were cancelled.

Alcan Workers Bound to Controls

Times News Services

The federal anti-inflation board has ruled that the Canadian Association of Smelter and Allied Workers is not entitled to exemption from wage guidelines in negotiations with Alcan Smelters and Chemicals Ltd. in Kitimat.

The union had asked the board for "special consideration" and also asked the board to rule on the question of the existence of a long-established historical relationship in pay rates among the CASAW and employees of Cominco Ltd. and in the forest and pulp industries in British Columbia.

This broadly similar pattern of wage relationships does not in itself constitute an historical relationship, the board ruled.

A further reason the workers did not qualify for exemption is that their prior contract had expired after October 14, 1975, the board added.

According to the guidelines, workers whose contracts were signed prior to 1974 and expired before Oct. 14 of this year may be given special consideration.

The negotiating impasse resulted when the Alcan workers refused a company offer of an 8.9 per cent pay increase in the first year of a two-year contract, and a six per cent increase in the second year on a base rate of $5.38 per hour.

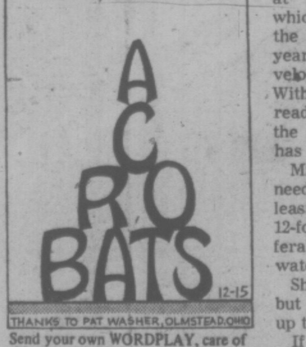
An Alcan spokesman said the company had given notice of a lock-out because it couldn't operate the plant without a contract.

The lock-out was averted at the last minute when the parties, at the urging of B.C. Labor Minister Bill King, agreed to ask the Anti-Inflation Board for a quick decision.

The parties have initialled an agreement on everything except pay, the Alcan spokesman said.

A union spokesman said he has sent a telegram to the prime minister asking for the cabinet to overturn the board's decision.

WORDPLAY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Send your own WORDPLAY, care of this newspaper.

One Big Gas

CHICAGO (CP) — Scores of motorists not only ignored shouts of help from two service station attendants who had been bound and robbed Friday but they helped themselves to gasoline at nine unattended pumps, police said.

Curtis McDowell, manager of the station, one of the busiest in the Chicago area, told police three gunmen walked into the station early Friday and bound the two 19-year-old attendants with electric cords.

McDowell estimated the robbers, wearing green army field jackets and carrying pistols, took $5,000 in cash from a safe and $290 worth of cigarettes.

"They were there for about 45 minutes or so," said McDowell. "While two of them were inside, a third manned the pumps and pocketed the customers' money.

"When the three men left, motorists began arriving — we have a lot of factory workers that early in the morning as well as the usual stream of business. They began helping themselves. They pumped themselves about 400 gallons, as near as I can figure it now."

The attendants, Michael Fry and Kenneth Harris, said in an interview that they were bound and put in a room off the main office.

"I managed to crawl up to the front when the robbers left," said Harris. "I got up so I could see out the windows. I saw people pumping gas into their cars. I shouted, 'Help! Help! We've been robbed.' They just looked and kept pumping.

"Several of them came in. One man came in with $2 to pay for his gas. He looked at me and I said: 'Man, untie me, get the police.' He put the money back in his pocket, grabbed a bunch of cigarettes and told me that help was on the way. Then he returned to his car, filled it up with gas and drove away."

Harris said several other motorists arrived and did the same thing.

Police said they finally were summoned by an unidentified customer.

Warehouse Space Needed

Wanted: some warehouse space in a central location, preferably rent-free — for a good cause.

It's a tall order to fill but Mrs. E. G. Woodward, local representative for the Unitarian Service Committee of Canada, said Friday circumstances have produced a desperate need.

The USC is in the middle of its annual campaign for funds and clothing in Greater Victoria — aid for third-world countries where people are ill-clad and hungry.

And the former city firehall at Douglas and Burnside, which has been loaned free to the USC for the past two years, is now going to be developed by its new owners. With 51 boxes of material ready for shipment to Korea, the local USC organization has to get out.

Mrs. Woodward said what is needed is storage space, at least 35 by 50 feet with a 12-foot ceiling, dry and perferably with heat, light and water.

She'd like a central location but would settle for anything up to two miles from town.

If you can help, please call

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Computers 'Open Door To Fraud'

OTTAWA (UPI) — The federal government's watchdog on waste said today financial controls are so lax that computer frauds involving tax money could occur anytime, and may have happened already.

Auditor - General J. J. Mcdonnell said in a report to Parliament this week that "the state of financial management and control in the departments and agencies of the government of Canada is significantly below an acceptable standard of quality and effectiveness."

He warned today this laxness is an open door to fraud.

"There has been a good deal of publicity and I am very glad there has been a lot of publicity about how easy it is to commit fraud with the use of computers.

"Now, the government of Canada is undoubtedly the largest user of computers in the whole country, and when you read a report like this, and realize how weak certain types of preventive controls are, I think the results speak for themselves.

"I mean, I am not suggesting that a con man could do all that much, it depends on what he intends to do. But, if controls are weak, it is an open invitation to fraud.

"I think for the lay reader of the report it may not come out all that clearly but, we do say that there are opportunities for fraud," he said in an interview with the Standard Broadcast News Parliamentary Bureau.

Mcdonnell was asked whether the lack of proven frauds was not a testimonial to government employees.

"There has not been that much fraud detected. I think there is quite a difference there," he said.

"Now, if there are opportunities for fraud, you know, they may well have been exercised and we may not have detected them, because we have a pretty small resource in relation to 259,000 (government employed) people. The professional staff in my office is less than 300."

Mcdonnell recommended tougher auditing and management controls.

WORM RECIPE TAKES CAKE

POMONA, Calif. (UPI) — A recipe for "earthworm applesauce Surprise Cake" which includes a cup of chopped, dried earthworms has won first prize at the first annual cooking with worms contest.

The competition was sponsored by the North American Bait Co., with assistance from the nutrition department of Cal Poly of Pomona.

The bait company produces earthworms for fishermen, also for more modern uses such as soil aeration, waste disposal, fertilizer, animal feed and — most recently — people feed.

Train Hits Bus, 8 Killed

Times News Service

TORONTO — Eight people, all Toronto residents, were killed and 20 persons injured Friday when a speeding GO Transit commuter train rammed a Toronto Transit Commission bus stopped at a level crossing in the eastern suburb of Scarborough.

Jack Ackroyd, deputy chief of Metropolitan Toronto police, said the rush-hour collision occurred after the eastbound bus stopped and was not able to move from the controlled crossing at the intersection of St. Clair Avenue East and Midland Avenue.

Staff Sergeant Allen Cryderman said the bus driver was trying to evacuate passengers from the stalled vehicle when the collision occurred.

"Some of the passengers got out and some didn't," Cryderman said.

All of the eight dead, four men and four women, and all the 20 injured persons were on the bus. The three train crewmen and their 15 passengers were unharmed.

"The bus had just stopped to pick up some passengers and it was having trouble pulling away from the bus stop," Cryderman said. "It was crossing the tracks when it stalled."

Maurice Simms, a Canadian National spokesman, said when the bus rolled to a halt "the barriers went down and the lights started flashing. The bus driver did the right thing. He tried to evacuate the bus.

"He also signalled to the engineer of the train, but there was no way the express could stop. He was on the express run from Pickering to Union Station (Toronto) and he was going over 70 miles an hour."

Witnesses said some of the persons killed were standing behind the bus, thinking they were out of the train's way.

Property Tax Relief for Aged First Bennett Pledge

By AL FORREST
Times Staff

Social Credit leader Bill Bennett has avoided making any major announcements since the election but in an interview with the Times immediately prior to voting day he laid out his proposed government program for 1976, including a plan to remove all property taxes for 90 per cent of British Columbians over 65.

He said in the interview top priority would go to a new program of raising the home-owner grant for the elderly so high that 90 per cent of them would be totally exempt from taxes.

Those 65 and over who own mansions would get the same exemption but they would have to pay any taxes above the amount of the grant.

Bennett declined to speculate on how high the grant would go, whether to $600 or $1,000, but said it would depend entirely on how high it must be raised so all but the top 10 per cent would be totally exempt from property taxes.

Bennett also said there would be a mini-purge of government officials to remove those of a political nature.

"Everybody knows who they are," Bennett said, but he declined to name names.

Bennett said he would call two sessions of the legislature in 1976.

In the spring session, probably starting in the first week in February, he would do these things:

—Bring in portfolio changes featuring a new super minister of the environment who would have the power to overrule decisions by other cabinet ministers.

—Appoint an auditor-general.

—Appoint an ombudsman.

—Send the election boundaries commission back to the drawing board for a completely new study, but using some of the testimony from the Norris Commission which has just completed its report but not yet published its findings. Added to the new commission would be a study of election expenses.

It would be basically a "corrective session" in February, Bennett said.

He said department officials have already finalized budget plans with the outgoing ministers and it would be too late to start from square one. Changes involving money would come in the fall.

Bennett said that while there would be an early purge of political appointments "it won't be a witch hunt."

He said there were a number of people brought in and appointed by order-in-council and they would be removed by order-in-council.

"There have been a lot of political appointments by this government," he said.

"Those who don't have the competency, who in my mind were just appointed politically, will be removed. There are a lot of political people and everybody knows who they are."

On the other hand, a few, who some Social Credit people feel were political appointments will be retained if they are fully competent.

Bennett said an attempt has to be made to retain as much continuity in government as possible.

The fact someone came in under the old Social Credit government did not guarantee protection nor did the fact they were appointed by the NDP automatically mean they would be dismissed.

Those who have come up through the ranks generally will be safe. Those brought in by the NDP because of their political philosophy or as a political favor or because they would do as they were told, will be studied carefully for possible removal.

"I'm trying to do a job."

Bennett announced he would deviate from the pattern established by Bennett the elder and by Premier Barrett and would not hold the dual portfolios of premier and finance minister.

Nor would he be president of the B.C. Railway or any other government post, unlike his two predecessors..

All officers of Crown Corporations would be professional people, although there would be cabinet represent-

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Socred Ballot Guards Ousted

COQUITLAM (CP) — Chief electoral officer Ken Morton was called to the Coquitlam returning office Friday to remove security guards hired by the Social Credit party, said returning officer Ann Richardson.

Mrs. Richardson said she and her staff felt harassed and intimidated by the guards from a Vancouver security agency who were peering in the office window.

"The guards were watching over us and we were intimidated and I didn't like it so I called Morton," she said in a telephone interview.

She said Morton met with the lawyer for George Kerster, the 38-year-old car dealer who beat Premier Barrett in the riding by 167 votes, and the result of the meeting was that the Kerster camp decided to trust the returning officer's security arrangements.

Mrs. Richardson said she had provided for a security guard to watch over the ballot boxes until Dec. 23 when a final count of the ballots will be made.

She also said she wanted to question Morton about seals put on some ballot boxes by Social Credit scrutineers.

"I removed some of (the seals) myself but I didn't bother with the rest," she said.

The 167-vote victory by Kerster will stand until Dec. 23 when the official count will determine whether a recount is warranted.

Political Appointees Face Bennett Axe

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ation on boards of directors.

Bennett also announced he will divide the portfolio of lands and forests. The lands section will go to the new superminister of the government. This new portfolio will include lands, water resources, pollution control and part of the department of recreation and conservation.

The super minister would be able to overrule decisions made by other ministers, especially mining and forests.

For example, whether a mine would be able to start or expand in a park would be up the new minister, Bennett said.

The minister of lands and forests has always been overworked in any provincial government but this load would be eased with the division of the portfolio. This did not mean an increase in the total number of ministers, however, as some other departments would be consolidated. He did not elaborate.

The environment minister would have power to oversee all types of economic activity, including mining, tree-cutting and work in gravel pits.

Bennett said his government could have presented a Social Credit budget in the spring if it had more time but now will have to wait until the fall.

For example, if the election had been called as late as September, it would have given him time to make changes in February but now the first significant budget by the new government would not come until the fall session.

In the fall, the following programs could be expected:

—An increase in the homeowners grant for those 65 and over to exempt 90 per cent of them from any property taxation.

—Action to exempt the first $5,000 from any provincial income tax for those over 65 (a saving of about $28).

—As announced during the election campaign, he would repeal the Mineral Royalties Act, replacing it with a tax on profits only.

However, the royalty would continue on coal and in fact would be increased. At present it averages $1.44 a ton, up from 25 cents in 1972 when the NDP took power from the former Social Credit administration of W. A. C. Bennett.

Bennett said even $1.44 was too low (Barrett had said it would be raised to $2 in 1976). Unlike metals, which have cyclical swings of high and low prices, energy resource prices appear to be on an upward plane and royalties would increase as the prices rise, he said.

Revenues from natural gas and oil would also increase as prices rose.

Bennett said he would probably continue the B.C. Petroleum Corporation, which he called simply a tax-gathering vehicle. He said it seemed to be more efficient than the petroleum royalty system used in Alberta.

B.C. would study the mineral profit tax used in Ontario and might follow that model for copper and other metals.

Bennett said during the election campaign he had stressed that any promise involving money would have to wait until the economy improved enough for the government to be able to afford to begin the program.

The exception, he said, would be the exemption of property taxes for 90 per cent of the elderly.

"This is the one I've told my people would be first. This will be the one we hope to put in next year. I've told my own people that but I've never said it from the public stage myself."

He said many retired people prefer to stay in their homes and the government should help them do so. The majority live in rather humble homes and it will be easy for the government to raise their grants so they pay no taxes. Those in waterfront mansions will get some help but they will have to pay some taxes.

He said there was no point in paying all the tax for someone who could afford an extremely expensive home.

The new grant program would bring an end to the tax deferment program which will no longer be needed. Under the present deferment program, anyone 65 or older can defer taxes which are collected only when the house is sold as part of the estate.

"The deferment plan has proved to be a disaster. The public wouldn't buy it and I don't blame them."

On Victoria issues, Bennett said there would be no changes in the Marguerite service but it would be placed under B.C. Ferries.

The only purpose of this move would be to fold the B.C. Steamships Co., which was formed by the NDP and given the power to set up new Crown companies by order-in-council. It would serve no function under the Social Credit government.

The Marguerite, meanwhile, would continue its peak season runs between Victoria and Seattle. Whether it would be used during the off-season would be up to B.C. Ferries officials.

Bennett said the question of ferry costs and scheduling, including the demand in Victoria and Nanaimo for late-night sailings, would be studied by the new transportation minister and no conclusions had been made in advance.

Municipalities would be told before year's end what the next year's governnmetn grant would be so they could plan ahead. In previous adminisnext year's government grant that by waiting for the spring budget they have had to guess at the amount.

He said he expected the ferry fleet would continue to lose money under a Social Credit government.

"We make fun out of it losing money but really it's an extension of the highway system and highways don't make money — it's there to provide service."

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NO JOB FOR DADDY IN NEW GOVERNMENT

There will be no political appointment for daddy in the new Social Credit government, Bill Bennett said in an interview.

When asked about a possible role for the former premier, Bennett said: "I guess he will continue to be my father.

"W. A. C. Bennett will not be given any appointed post nor could he while I were premier — that would be asking the earth to fall down on my head."

No other relatives can expect government appointments either, he said.

Cheap Flights Triple in Year

MONTREAL (CP) — British Airways announced a plan Friday to triple low-fare charter and excursion bookings between Canada and Britain next year.

A spokesman said the airline plans to provide more than 75,000 Canada-originating advance booking seats on the route next year.

O.C. SOCCER

LONDON (CP) — British soccer results today:

ENGLISH LEAGUE
Division I
Aston Villa 3 Norwich 2
Burnley 2 West Ham 0
Everton 5 Birmingham 2
Ipswich 2 Leeds 1
Leicester 1 Newcastle 0
Man City 4 Coventry 2
Queen's PR 1 Derby 1
Sheffield 1 Man United 4
Stoke 2 Arsenal 1
Tottenham 0 Liverpool 4
Wolverhampton 1 Middlesbrough 2
Division II
Bristol 3 Hull 0
Carlisle 2 Chelsea 1
Fulham 1 Bolton 2
Luton 2 West Brom 1
Notts F 0 Portsmouth 1
Oldham 2 Blackburn 1
Southmpton 2 Notts C 1
Sunderland 1 Oxford 0
York 0 Bristol R 0
Results of games played Friday
Orient 0, Blackpool 1.
Charlton 2, Plymouth 0.
Division IV
Stockport 2, Watford 2.
Friendly Match
Chesterfield 3, Barnsley 1.
Division III
Wrexham 1 Colchester 1
Division IV
Darlington 1 Cambridge 1
Doncaster 3 Tranmere 0
Exeter 0 Northampton 0
Reading 1 Scunthorpe 0
SCOTTISH LEAGUE
FA Cup
First Round
Albion 0 Hawick 0
Brechin 1 Berwick 1
E. Stirling 0 Alloa 5
Elgin 0 Forres 1
Peterhead 0 Raith 2
Stranraer 1 Queen's Pk 0
Premier Division
Celtic 0 Aberdeen 2
Dundee U 0 Hearts 1
Hibernian 1 Motherwell 0
Rangers 3 Ayr 0
St. Johnstone 1 Dundee 3
Division I
Airdrieonian 2 Clydel
Fife 0 St. Micren 2
Falkirk 0 Partick 0
Hamilton 0 Arbroath 1
Kilmarnock 1 Montrose 1
Morton 1 Dumbarton 1
Queen of S 5 Dunfermline 2
Division II
Clydebank 2 Meadowbank 0
Stirling 2 Forfar 0
Northern Ireland
Ards 4 Cliftonville 3
Coleraine 1 Bangor 1
Crusaders 2 Ballymena 0
Glenavon 0 Linfield 5
Glentoran 1 Portadown 0
Larne 5 Distillery 3

Former Calgary Mayor Dies On Salt Spring

Samuel Adams, a former mayor of Calgary, has died on Salt Spring Island. He was 97.

Adams went to Calgary from Ontario in 1906. He served as alderman in 1915 and as mayor from 1921 to 1922.

Adams, a lawyer, practised law until 1955 when he retired and came to Salt Spring.

the weather

Pressures are rising quite smartly over B.C. today. As a result many localities will experience partial clearing today. However the cool unstable air will produce some snowflurries in most areas in particular along western slopes. Another Pacific system is winding up near the Aleutians. This disturbance is expected to draw up milder air from the Central Pacific as it races eastward. Precipitation in the form of rain will reach the north coast by evening and expand down the coast on Sunday. In addition snow will banket much of the interior on Sunday.

PUBLIC WEATHER OFFICE
10 A.M. FORECASTS
Valid Until Midnight Sunday

Greater Victoria: Cloudy with sunny periods. A few showers of rain or wet snow. Sunday sunny becoming cloudy by noon. Rain beginning in the afternoon. Highs near 2. Lows tonight around minus 4. Highs Sunday near 4.

Greater Vancouver, Lower Mainland, East Vancouver Island: Cloudy with sunny periods. A few snowflurries. Sunday cloudy except for morning sunny periods. Rain beginning in the afteroon. Highs today near 2. Lows tonight minus 3 to minus 5. Highs Sunday near 4.

North and West Vancouver Island: Cloudy with sunny periods. A few showers of rain or wet snow. Sunday mainly cloudy. Rain beginning near noon. Highs today near 2. Lows tonight around minus 4. Highs Sunday near 4.

TEMPERATURES

Yesterday

	Max.	Min.	Prcp
Victoria	3	—1	4.1
Normal	8	4	
One Year Ago			
Victoria	8	4	3.6

ACROSS THE CONTINENT

Prince Rupert	1	— 8	4.6
Pr. George	—12	—14	1.5
Kamloops	— 7	—10	4.1
Vancouver	1	— 1	25.4
Lethbridge	—16	—23	.5
Med. Hat	—17	—30	—
Vermilion	—23	—33	.8
Edmonton	—19	—32	—
Jasper	—18	—22	.3
Banff	—14	—23	—
Coronation	—20	—26	—
Calgary	—16	—29	—
Pr. Albert	—24	—28	2.8
N. Battleford	—22	—30	3.6
Saskatoon	—19	—30	2.8
Sw. Current	—16	—25	3.3
Yorkton	—22	—30	5.6
Moose Jaw	—19	—23	3.3
Thompson	—31	—37	.8
North Bay	— 6	—16	—
Regina	—17	—26	3.8
Estevan	—18	—22	7.9
Brandon	—19	—25	9.7
Winnipeg	—10	—17	6.9
Kenora	—13	—20	7.4
Thunder Bay	— 3	—17	5.3
The Pas	—24	—26	2.5
Dauphin	—23	—25	7.9
White River	—13	—25	—
Toronto	— 1	— 6	—
Ottawa	— 5	—15	—
Montreal	— 5	—12	—
Quebec	—10	—20	—
St. John's	— 1	—12	—
Halifax	— 1	—12	—

U.S. Temperatures: Chicago 3, 2; Minneapolis 1, 0; New York 5, 4; Miami 25, 23; Boston 3, 1; Washington 11, 6; Los Angeles 14, 6; San Francisco 13, 7; Denver 8, -4; Las Vegas 18, 4; Phoenix 21, 9.

World Temperatures: Amsterdam 4, 0; Athens 16, 10; Bangkok 30, 24; Berlin 4, 1; Brussels 5, -1; Buenos Aires 34, 22; Copenhagen 4, 1; Frankfurt 3, 0; Geneva 9, 3; Helsinki -1, -8; Hong Kong 9, 7; Johannesburg 25, 15; Lisbon 16, 8; London 7, 1; Madrid 11, 7; Paris 4, 0; Rio 35, 20; Rome 12, 5; Sao Paulo 31, 19; Seoul -2, -10; Singapore 30, 23; Stockholm 4, -4; Taipei 13, 9; Tel Aviv 20, 10; Tokyo 9, 2.

CITY'S WEATHER RECORD

Sunshine December	15.1 hrs.
Last December	18.2 hrs.
Normal (30 Years)	24.6 hrs.
Sunshine, 1975	2077.5 hrs.
Last Year	2179.8 hrs.
Normal (30 Years)	2154.2 hrs.
Precipitation December	126.0 mm
Last December	29.0 mm
Normal (30 Years)	50.4 mm
Precipitation, 1975	776.7 mm
Last Year	571.3 mm
Normal (30 Years)	599.5 mm

SUNRISE, SUNSET SUNDAY
(Pacific Standard Time)
SUNRISE 7:58 SUNSET 16:18

TIDES AT VICTORIA HARBOR
(Tides listed are Pacific Standard Time)

	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.
13	10.10	8.9	18.25	3.4				
14	10.25	9.1	18.55	2.7				
15	10.50	9.3	19.20	2.1				
16	04.00	8.0	06.45	8.3	11.00	9.4	19.55	1.6

TIDES AT SOOKE

	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.
13	00.50	6.0	09.35	9.4	17.45	4.1	23.45	6.5
14	02.00	6.7	09.55	9.7	18.20	3.5		
15	00.30	6.9	03.00	7.2	10.25	10.0	18.50	2.9
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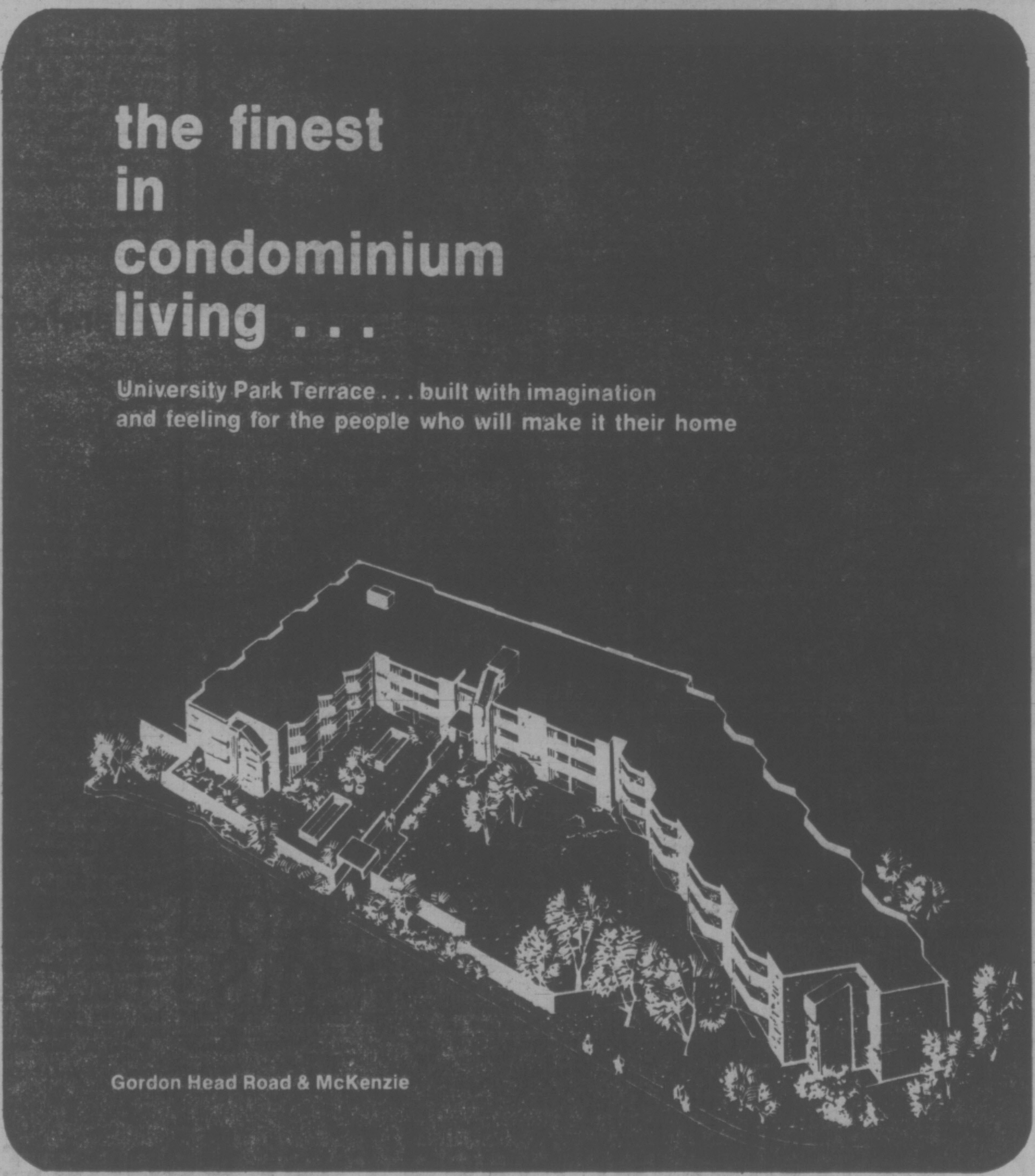

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ICBC Forms Await Socred Word

VANCOUVER (CP) — Distribution of 1976 Autoplan renewal forms that were being readied just before Thursday's British Columbia election has been delayed.

A spokesman for the government-run Insurance Corporation of B.C. said Friday that distribution of the forms won't proceed until the corporation receives approval or otherwise for a proposed new rate structure from the incoming Social Credit cabinet of premier-elect Bill Bennett.

The New Democratic Party government said before its defeat that the new rates would mean an average increase of 19 per cent for basic compulsory coverage over 1975 rates.

With the government's defeat, the ICBC spokesman said, processing of the renewal forms will have to await approval from the new cabinet.

"Our computers were set to print the renewals of everybody as of election day," he said, "but that has not proceeded . . . things are on hold pending instructions from the new cabinet."

If the new cabinet takes over within a week, as expected, this will leave ample time for consideration of the rate schedule, with possible changes, and distribution of renewal forms by the March 1 start of the new insurance year.

The proposed rate increases were found to be necessary by the NDP because of mounting ICBC deficits, starting with $35 million in Autoplan's first year in 1974. Estimates for the 1975 deficit range from $50 million to $95 million.

Bennett promised during the election campaign to open up auto insurance to competition from private insurers and to end the monopoly on the field held by the NDP government-established ICBC.

He has not yet said how quickly his government may act on ICBC matters.

During the election campaign he rejected any suggestion of subsidizing ICBC from general government revenues, as the NDP was prepared to do. Bennett said his rejection of subsidies could mean substantial Autoplan premium increases, subject to possibly more competitive rates from private insurance companies.

Meanwhile, tenants' organization reaction to the Social Credit victory was stunned and flabergasted while landlords look forward to meeting with the new government.

"We're not ecstatic," Jean Swanson, of the downtown Eastside Residents Association, said Friday.

"We're stunned, most of our active people were assisting New Democratic Party candidates in one riding or another," said Margaret Dewees of the B.C. Tenants Organization. "They're flabergasted."

Richard Dolman, executive director of a landlord group, said the B.C. Rental Housing Council is looking forward to meeting the new cabinet and particularly the attorney-general and housing minister.

"We had very little rapport with the last government . . . very little communication," Dolman said. "They weren't really interested in listening to us; as a result our industry had no confidence and failed to build rental housing over the last three years.

"We expect we will be able to have constructive discussion with them (Social Credit)," he said.

Farm Income Rises 8.9%

OTTAWA (CP) — Farmers' income from operations in all provinces except Newfoundland during the first 10 months of the year totalled $85.11 billion, up 8.9 per cent from $7.38 billion in the same period last year, Statistics Canada reports.

Farmers' income by province for the January-October period:

Prince Edward Island $63 million, Nova Scotia $94 million, New Brunswick $77 million, Quebec $1.09 billion, Ontario $2.09 billion, Manitoba $742 million, Saskatchewan $2.04 billion, Alberta $1.58 billion, British Columbia $322 million.

The figures include Canadian Wheat Board payments on previous' years grain crops as well as various government subsidies.

GOV'T FORMALLY SIGNS CUPW PACT

OTTAWA (CP) — The government and the Canadian Union of Postal Workers formally signed a contract Friday giving inside workers an increase of $1.70 an hour over 30 months.

At a late cabinet session Thursday night, the cabinet overruled an anti-inflation board ruling that the settlement went beyond the government's anti-inflation program.

A post office spokesman also said retroactive pay of $500 for GUPW members was going out Friday and Monday.

The $500 is a portion of retroactive pay the workers received under the contract.

capital scene

The Victoria branch of the Royal Scottish Country Dance Society will hold its Christmas party Wednesday, Dec. 17 at 8 p.m. at the auditorium of Sir James Douglas School.

For further information on the party and new classes starting in January contact Gerry Dunn at 598-6547 or Joe Huebner at 384-2652.

Britannia branch No. 7 the Royal Canadian Legion will meet Tuesday, Dec. 16 at 7:45 p.m. at the branch, 1616 Blanshard St.

Norland Slag Nord Kapp Lodge will meet for an election of officers and bingo Tuesday, Dec. 16.

The Victoria Business and Professional Womens Club will hold its monthly dinner meeting Monday, Dec. 15 at 6:15 p.m. at the Post House Restaurant, Coachman Inn, 229 Gorge Road.

The Saanich International Folk Dancers beginners class is being held every Wednesday at 8:30 p.m. at the Old Gordon Head Hall, Tyndall and San Pedro Streets.

Intermediate class is held every Friday at 8 p.m. at Fairburn School in Gordon Head.

For information call C. Winn at 598-8742.

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her at 652-2025 or Mrs. Gordon Anthonisen at 383-4765. Meanwhile, people with clothing to donate are asked to hold it until further notice.

The USC has a target of $25,000 in Greater Victoria this year (donations last year totalled $21,060) and with the year-end approaching rapidly, contributions to date have just passed $10,000.

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Dutch Now Eye Use of Force

AMSTERDAM (AP) — Premier Joop den Uyl of the Netherlands says he will not rule out the use of force to free 53 hostages held by South Moluccan nationalists in two sieges.

Den Uyl, speaking to reporters late Friday, said "there are no clear prospects for a quick, bloodless end to the sieges," in which four persons have died.

He voiced concern for the health of the hostages, some of whom have been captive for nearly two weeks. He met with top ministers at The Hague into the early hours today.

In his latest offer, the premier promised that the Netherlands would reconsider its stand on the South Moluccan issue after the hostages are released.

PRIZE COMES IN PAYMENTS

DUBLIN (UPI) — Winners of the Irish Hospitals Sweepstakes super prize of $812,000 next year will receive the prize money in installments, a contest spokesman says.

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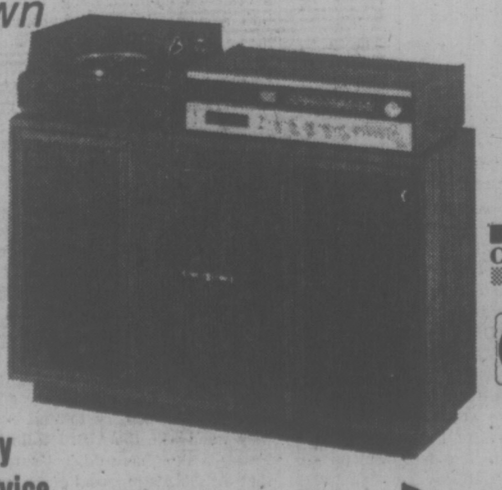

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Inside the Smoke Screen

No one ever promised that the struggle to bring inflation under control would be a blitzkrieg, over and done within a few months of stiff, stern measures aimed at inflated incomes and wages and prices. It would be a long haul, as Prime Minister Trudeau told Canadians on Thanksgiving Day.

We now have lived with the struggle for two months, and it is not too soon to make some preliminary judgments and assessments of the progress so far. To date, the impression most Canadians probably have is of utter confusion down in Ottawa, with the principals contradicting each other and acting at cross purposes — all behind a smoke screen which apparently descended the day after Trudeau's speech and hasn't lifted yet.

The best example is the Anti-Inflation Board's decision to reject the 30-month, 38 per cent pay increase which ended the six-week postal strike by the Canadian Union of Postal Workers. The AIB said the average annual increase was six percentage points above the government's guidelines, and therefore could not be allowed. Even though it was almost identical to a contract signed several months ago, without a strike, by the letter carriers.

The AIB only recently allowed a similar situation to pass, when it approved a contract signed by Falconbridge nickel workers in Ontario which was close to one negotiated earlier this year by workers at International nickel. It says the employees of both firms should be considered, for purposes of the anti-inflation guidelines, one group.

But in the case of the post office, the people who sort the mail and the individuals who deliver it are entirely different groups, according to the AIB, even though they have a traditional wage parity.

The cabinet decision to overrule the AIB was in the circumstances just and fair — and the only possible thing it could have decided. Canadians will not see it as a glaring exemption from the anti-inflation guidelines. The CUPW was without a contract for almost a year. No group should be singled out for retroactive retribution.

Canadians recognize that new contracts and wage settlements covering the months and years ahead will have to be trimmed and held down if inflation is to be beaten, but to look backwards and make the postal workers victims of hindsight is patently unfair.

The affair demonstrates further that Ottawa still, after two months, hasn't gotten its act together. There was talk a while ago of AIB chairman Jean-Luc Pepin being kept on a very short leash by Trudeau, recently we have had examples of each making contradictory statements and claiming misquotation, now the embarrassing predicament of whether to rule against the inflation guidelines or the postal workers and surely precipitate another strike.

For the average working man, for those being asked to bear the brunt of the anti-inflation struggle (if you don't believe that, look at recent statements of the chartered banks' zooming profits, the steady rise in the consumer price index), the disarray in Ottawa is not a very reassuring sight.

Chasing It Higher

Urban Affairs Minister Barney Danson's announcement of an increase in the ceiling figures under the Assisted Home Ownership Program will perhaps help a few struggling individuals to find accommodation. The increase of $3,000 to $45,000 for Victoria and the $4,000 jump in Vancouver to $47,000 will assist some, undoubtedly.

But didn't anyone tell Danson that the average price of a home in the metropolitan Vancouver area now is well over $65,000? It is almost that high in the Victoria region.

Can anyone hope to find new accommodation in either centre for under $47,000? Small homes 25 years old and without basements are selling for as much as the AHOP limit allows. It would be a good deal more accurate to call it the assisted condominium ownership program, for that's about the only type of housing anyone will be able to afford with those price ceilings.

Builders complained the limits were too low before, that few people could take advantqge under the plan. So Danson raised the limits, but only by what was allowed under the anti-inflation guidelines. Would that the real estate market observed the same, or the mortgage departments of the chartered banks and trust companies!

Ottawa is not going to solve the housing shortage in Canada by continuing programs such as AHOP, with its unrealistic guidelines and ceilings. Has Ottawa decided that from now on Canadians shall live in condominium apartments — many of which are designed for families with children — or cramped garden townhouses? Is the single-family detached home on its own piece of land a thing of the past? In a country with as much open space left as Canada, in a province which produces as much building materials within 40 miles of this city — the answer has to be no.

Instead of chasing after the incredibly high-priced housing that is being built in Canada today, throwing money at it with programs such as AHOP, why aren't governments (federal and provincial) tackling the main cause of the housing shortage — high interest rates and high land prices? A concerted effort by both levels of government to get building lots on the market at a price low enough so interest rates don't eat up everything shouldn't be impossible. They haven't really tried yet.

HAROLD GREER

Doctors Await Inflation Guide

TORONTO — If Ontario teachers have been shocked beyond belief by the way the federal Anti-Inflation Board has treated them, Ontario doctors are about to have apoplexy.

The teachers are now muttering about a province-wide walkout because they cannot understand how the AIB could tell metro Toronto's 8,600 striking high school teachers that even their employers' last offer would violate the anti-inflation guidelines.

Metro school boards had offered salary increases of 39.2 per cent over two years, plus a partial cost-of-living increase. A provincial fact-finder had recommended 43.9 per cent plus full cost-of-living recognition, and the teachers went on strike rather than take less. Both sides appealed to the AIB for some guidance and were told the obvious, that even the school boards' offer would be unacceptable. The teachers still can't believe it.

Imagine then how the doctors are going to react when the AIB guidelines are applied to the Ontario Medical Association's (OMA) proposed fee schedule for next May and thereafter, which is designed to increase medical incomes, net of expenses, by 48 per cent on the average in one year.

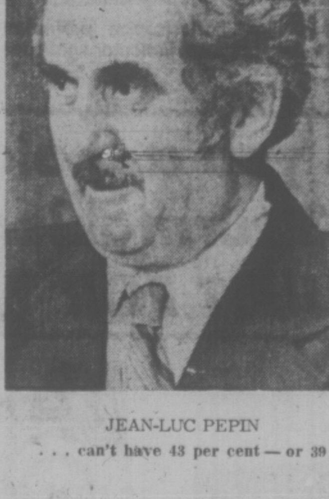
Doctors Stunned

There is no way the AIB can allow anything of the sort, of course, and most doctors must know it. Even so, the confusion over how the guidelines will work with respect to professional income has been such that most doctors are likely to be stunned by what the AIB will accept, which according to this reporter's not-so-uninformed figuring, is 11 or maybe, being generous, 12 per cent a year.

Admittedly the AIB regulations will not be known until Dec. 15 at the earliest, but they are not going to clarify all that much. The basic rules are set out in the federal White Paper of Oct. 15 and the regulations will merely define what a "professional" is, what constitutes a "group" of professionals, and so on. As far as doctors are concerned, virtually all that needs to be known is known.

And the White Paper says, in effect, that fees can be increased so as to cover increased expenses and provide additional net income of $2,400 on the average in 1976 for doctors doing the same amount of work as they did in 1975.

The OMA contends that the average net income of Ontario doctors working full-time on a fee-for-service basis is currently $43,500 a year. It also contends office overhead and other doctor expenses currently consume 40 per cent, on the average, of gross income. This means the average gross income for doctors in Ontario is currently $72,500 and the average cost of practice is currently $29,000 a year.



JEAN-LUC PEPIN
. . . can't have 43 per cent — or 39

To apply the anti-inflation guidelines to these figures, it is only necessary to know how much doctor expenses have gone up on the average during the base year — that is, 1975. Here there is some difficulty with the statistics.

For years, the cost of practice consumed a fairly stable one-third of gross income but the OMA contends it has been 40 per cent for some time now which is rather strange since under the federal guidelines this diminishes rather than enhances the argument for higher fees. Let us therefore be generous and assume that before fees last went up — up four per cent last May 1 — expenses represented 36 per cent of gross income and have since risen to 40 per cent, which is an increase of four percentage points or 11 per cent.

This means the cost of practice has increased on the average by $2,874 during 1975. Under the federal guidelines, the OMA can adjust its fees to pass this cost on. It can also adjust them to provide for additional net income on the average of $2,400. Therefore, the allowable AIB increase for 1976 should be about $5,274 and the average medical income in Ontario, for fee-for-service doctors, will rise from $43,500 net to $48,774 net, which is an increase of 12 per cent.

Just how this increase in net income will be reflected in fee increases, however, is at this point obscure, since only the OMA knows what changes in the fee schedule are necessary to produce what changes in net income. The OMA has said that to produce its sought-after 48 per cent hike in average net income, the profession's revenue from fees must rise by 35 per cent. Using the same ratio for a 12 per cent increase in net income, it would appear that the fee schedule should be increased over-all by 8.75 per cent.

Vitally Interested

The Ontario government, of course, is vitally interested in this aspect of the issue since it pays 90 per cent of OMA fees for services under medicare. Some 90 per cent of Ontario doctors accept this in full payment. Taking these factors into account, it would appear that an increase in the OMA fee schedule of 9.5 to 10 per cent, over-all, is necessary to provide the increases in doctors' incomes which will be allowable under the federal guidelines.

The government has budgetted $724 million in the current fiscal year for medicare, of which $683 million will go to doctors in payment for services. Assuming no increase in patient loads and utilization rates—obviously an unrealistic assumption—some $60 million will have to be added to the medicare budget next year just to finance the income increases to which doctors are entitled under the guidelines.

Currently, negotiations between the government and the OMA are adjourned while the doctors try to find out where they stand with the AIB. Health Minister Frank Miller has said, not surprisingly, that the OMA's proposal of 48 per cent is just not acceptable but he has been coy, pending the federal regulations, as to what is. Come Dec. 15, the howls will begin.

Markham Road farm overlooking Quick's Bottom in Saanich

George Dufour photo

RICHARD GWYN

AIB—Fairness and Firmness?

OTTAWA — In the best, be-scientific-and-first-define-your-objectives style expected of executives today, one wall of Mike McCabe's office is covered with sheets of flip-chart paper, in a large hand (so you can read the writing from across the room). McCabe, the official responsible for the Anti-Inflation Board's information program, has covered half of one sheet with this message:

"Fairness. Firmness. The program will be tough on price issues, on busloophole-finders and offenders, and on loop-hole-finders and offenders, and on government itself."

A sound public relation strategy, and a predictable one: First zap a business firm for price gouging so that you store up credit against the day when the board has to reject some union's wage demand.

Nothing ever happens so neatly. Instead, labor last week became the first example of what the board is all about. Toronto's 8,800 secondary school teachers, announced chairman Jean-Luc Pepin, will have to accept less than the 39.2-per-cent increase over two years already offered them by the school board, let alone the 43.9 per cent demanded by the teachers themselves.

May Yet Work

Far, far better for the propects for a national anti-inflation consensus that some company should have been the first casualty of the controls program. Better also that other Ontario teachers should not have been able to settle earlier in the year for increases higher than those their Toronto colleagues will get now.

You can argue the details — the softness of the Ontario government as it shuffled toward last September's election (in fact it allowed the other teachers their fat wage increase)—but the end result is still the same.

Once you've made up your mind to say no, there's no way to do it except to say no. No to the teachers. No to the postal workers. No to any union that strikes no matter for how long, for an increase larger than the 12 per cent allowed. No, no, no. The alternative, as everyone knows, would be to turn controls into a charade.

For firmness, the board now rates an A-plus. "Some people will be amazed at our intestinal fortitude," said Pepin. More to the point, most people will be delighted.

Fairness now becomes the test. Wages, as union leaders repeatedly have argued, are easy to control because they are so visible. To be fair, and to be seen to be fair, the board now must be as firm on "price issues, on businesses and professionals and on all loophole finders."

Prices and corporate profits are critical. Unions are convinced that neither will be touched. Canadians, by a margin of 48 per cent to 34 per cent according to a Gallup poll, believe that excess profits, rather than excess labor costs, are the cause of inflation.

"I'd just love to have some company step out of line," says Bob Johnston, executive director of the board. "They know that, which makes it tougher for us."

DONALD MACDONALD
. . . rejected a surtax so far

The details of price and profit controls won't be known until next week when the board publishes its regulations. Some reasons for cautious optimism exist. Corporations, if out of self-interest, "are co-operating our heads off," says Johnstone. Four supermarket chains have voluntarily frozen some of their prices and several banks have done the same with their service charges—public relations gestures, no doubt, but helpful all the same. Last, and most important, the penalties for "loophole-finders" will be severe.

The real crunch is professional incomes. In contrast to organized workers, professionals such as doctors, lawyers, dentists and accountants can evade controls even though their fee schedules are regulated. To earn more money, professionals need only cram in more clients each day. Also, many professional fee schedules mean about as much as "suggested" list prices do to used car salesmen.

Despite demands by several provinces, Finance Minister Donald Macdonald has, so far, rejected proposals for a surtax to scoop away all increases in professional salaries above the $2,400 maximum increase allowed. Macdonald's reasoning (he prefers a semi-voluntary approach) — hard-working professionals would be discouraged and would quit work as soon as they'd made the $2,400 extra allowed.

Not to Everyone

No, a thousand times no. True, some lawyers and doctors might take off early for Florida rather than work the rest of the year for, in effect, no income. The threat that para-medics and para-lawyers would be allowed into their occupations would bring them back. So would the threat of government regulation of these self-policing professions. This justice may be rough. If it isn't applied the cabinet and its advisers, naturally, think like professionals and not like assembly-line workers, union suspicions will be proven right.

For the controls program ever to begin, someone had to say the first no. Pepin has said it to the teachers. For the program to succeed, everyone has to be told no. That responsibility rests with government. The program faltered at its start because the government allowed its senior civil servants to accept increases of up to $6,000. If the government now will act decisively against professionals and roll back the increases of its own mandarins then possibly, just possibly, this controls program may yet be made to work.

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Family Life Program

Through an article in a recent edition (Nov. 26) of the Victoria Times I learned that a family life education program was under discussion and development within the district. In this same article I learned that a group of concerned parents had succeeded in "ousting a proposed sex education program from Sooke School district's elementary schools," to quote the Times. I do not know how these "concerned parents" became aware that the program was under consideration by the board nor do I understand how the board could have allowed discussion on this very important issue to proceed to such a stage without attempting to obtain the views of all concerned parents within the district.

My purpose in writing this letter is to strongly urge the board to reopen discussion of the family life education program and allow all concerned parents within the district to air their views. Allowing a vocal few to control the educational opportunities of the whole community without adequate public discussion is certainly not in the long-term interest of the community. May I suggest an open school board meeting with adequate advance publicity. Presumably this would allow the board to "get a reading" on the views held by a broader representation of parents from the district.

If all parents in the district have an opportunity to voice their opinions and a majority agree that family life education should be part of the elementary school curriculum, then it is possible to discuss the particulars of a program which meets the perceived needs of the students and is simultaneously acceptable to parents. We should not, however, allow the particulars of a program (e.g., certain reference material) to destroy the principle, as now appears to be the case.

Again, I urge the board to reconsider and give this issue an adequate hearing. — Verne W. Loose, 3895 Metchosin Road.

Meter Revenue

According to an article in the December 4 issue of the Victoria Times, the Finance Committee has decided to channel increased parking meter revenues into a reserve fund for building more downtown parking facilities. I strongly object to this decision, which was taken over the advice of city comptroller to the contrary.

In the interest of fairness, parking meter revenues should be used to compensate pedestrians and transit users for their loss of amenity and tax dollars due to motorists. At present, parking meters, signs, and entrances to parking structures take up a substantial portion of the already inadequate sidewalk space allotted to foot traffic. Meter revenues could be used to provide benches, shelters, and wider sidewalks at bus stops and other heavily used predestrian areas. Also, exclusive bus lanes should be designated downtown, and city traffic engineers should investigate the possibility of installing remote controlled bus sensors which phase traffic lights in favor of transit vehicles. These measures would reduce downtown traffic congestion for the benefit of all while reducing energy consumption and saving precious downtown land for productive and tax-generating uses.

In light of these arguments, I ask you to please reconsider your decision on the disposition of this year's parking revenues. Earmarked funding for the exclusive use of motor vehicles has helped to produce the characteristically car dominated, lifeless downtowns so typical of U.S. cities. Is that what we want for Victoria? — Ross Wilkins, 2095, Oak Bay Avenue.

Pensioners' Thanks

During the lengthy postal strike it was only through the media of our local newspapers and radio stations that the Canadian National Railway Pensioners were kept informed as to time and place where their pension checks could be picked up. This assistance proved invaluable to us and hope that the public in general begin to realize how much we owe them — once again thanks for a job well done.

L. J. Kirkham, Secretary,
C. N. Pensioners Assn. Br. 6.

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How Ottawa 'Saves' $20 Million by Taking from Poor

By LEONARD SHIFRIN

Picture yourself supporting a family on earnings of $3,200 a year.

Then imagine losing your job.

Instead of $60-a-week wages to live on, your family now has to get by on unemployment insurance payments of $45 a week.

The reason they get even $45 is a provision of the Unemployment Insurance Act which provides benefits of 75 per cent of former earnings rather than the customary 66⅔ per cent for very low-income claimants supporting dependants. Without that provision the family would get only $40.

Among the "reforms" proposed by the government in the Unemployment Insurance Act amendments now before Parliament is the elimination of these dependents' benefits. The government foresees "saving" $30 million by taking this amount from the lowest income families among the unemployed.

According to Manpower Minister Andras, these lowest income families no longer need this extra $5 a week because of the increase in family allowances which took place two years ago. These more generous allowances, he says, had not been envisaged back in 1971 when the dependents' benefits provision was included in the Unemployment Insurance Act.

The only thing seriously wrong with this explanation is that it is nonsense on at least two counts.

The first is that the increase in family allowances — which works out to less than $3.50 a week for a one-child family that will now lose $5 a week—went to all Canadian families.

The second is that even if the higher allowances were not being received by low-income families back in 1971, they certainly were envisaged by the government.

At the same time the Unemployment Insurance Act was being passed by Parliament another government bill — the Family Income Security Plan —was before the Commons. It provided for family allowances to be increased to their present levels, but on an income tested basis.

That bill was subsequently replaced by one which increased the allowances on a universal basis. What the government is now proposing is the exact reverse of its 1971 position. Instead of only low-income families receiving increased family allowance benefits, it now argues that only low-income families should be denied those benefits.

Not only is this patently absurd and morally indefensible, it also isn't the real explanation for the government's decision to abolish dependents' benefits under unemployment insurance. The actual reason has nothing whatsoever to do with family allowances.

The present Unemployment Insurance Act amendments were approved by cabinet last Spring and announced in the June budget. At that time ministers were confidently predicting that the first stage of the federal-provincial guaranteed income program would be in operation by April 1976.

Give or take a month or two, that is the same time the Unemployment Insurance act amendments will come into force. The low-income family on unemployment insurance would have lost $5 a week under that program, but become eligible for that amount and more under the guaranteed income program.

When Autumn saw the guaranteed income proposal set back two or three years as part of Ottawa's anti-inflation campaign, the rationale for dropping dependents' benefits from the Unemployment Insurance Act disappeared. Instead of withdrawing the amendment, however, the government simply invented a new and specious rationale for it.

The choice between the government losing face by withdrawing its amendment and low-income families losing badly-needed income seems to have been no choice at all. The amendment was proceeded with as if nothing had ever happened.

In the debate on second reading of the Unemployment Insurance Act amendments, all three opposition parties rejected both the elimination of dependents' benefits and the companion proposal to remove those over the age of 65 from unemployment insurance eligibility.

Coupled with the conspicuous silence of government backbenchers, this raised intriguing possibilities as to what might happen to these provisions when the bill reached the committee stage where each clause must be approved individually.

As with most standing committees of the House, the Labour, Manpower and Immigration committee consists of 20 members: 11 Liberals, 7 Conservatives, 1 NDP and 1 Socred.

That means even when all the opposition members are of the same mind, at least two Liberals have to vote with them to force a change in a government bill. In practice, the three opposition parties are rarely of one mind—and Liberal defections are even rarer.

In this case, however, two Liberals on the committee were prepared to oppose the clauses abolishing dependents' benefits and eliminating over-65s from eligibility. In the vernacular of the sports world, an upset appeared to be in the making.

Charles Caccia and Peter Stollery both represent working-class constituencies in downtown Toronto. Both had been members of the Labour, Manpower and Immigration committee since their first election to the House. In Caccia's case that was seven years; for Stollery three years.

The day before the committee was to begin clause-by-clause voting on the Unemployment Insurance amendments, they advised the Liberal Caucus of their intentions to oppose these provisions of the bill. That cost both of them their long-standing memberships on the committee.

With the two dissidents replaced by "safe" Liberals, that should have been the end of any possibility of the committee rejecting the offending portions of the bill. The result of the votes on these clauses should have been a predictable 11 to 9.

Only it wasn't. Instead, the two clauses involved in eliminating dependents' benefits passed by 6-5 and 7-6 margins respectively. The clause removing the over-65s passed by 7 votes to 6.

In view of the fact that Liberal committee members who opposed the changes were evidently faced with the prospect of losing their seats on the committee if they voted against them, it is not surprising that so many of them found a pressing need to be elsewhere when the voting began.

In their absence, the opposition members could have handily outvoted the government on these clauses. They could have, that is, had they all been present.

They weren't; and so they didn't.

Only five Conservatives were on hand for all three votes. The NDP member was present for only two of them, and the Socred missed all three.

When the bill returns to the Commons for debate at the report stage and third reading, the opposition parties will no doubt wax indignant all over again in denouncing the offending clauses.

In the circumstances, their rhetoric will ring somewhat hollow.

The Crusade to Save Chile

By JUAN de ONIS

SANTIAGO — Across the Chilean countryside, now green with fields of wheat and orchards in bloom, the billboards proclaim the official slogan: "Put your shoulder behind it, we'll come out sooner."

On empty city walls, still faintly tinged with scrubbed-out slogans of the abolished political parties, new graffiti say: "Armed forces equals order."

This is the propaganda of work and discipline propounded by the right-wing military-civilian coalition that came to power in September, 1973, with the overthrow of the late President Salvadore Allende Gossens and his left-wing Popular Unity government.

After two years of military rule, conducted like a continuing internal war on Communism and any other resistance, the Marxist and "Christian left" factions that made up Dr. Allende's coalition have been smashed.

Some government and labor leaders of the Popular Unity forces were killed in the first violent days after the coup. Others died in prison camps. Among the 5,000 political prisoners still held are such prominent figures as Luis Corvalan, secretary-general of the Communist party.

Other notables managed to reach asylum in foreign embassies or escaped into exile. Among them was Carlos Altamirano, secretary-general of the Socialist party, whose radical revolutionary tactics were followed by the right-wing reaction.

These exiles meet in East Berlin, London, Mexico or Havana and call for organized resistance within Chile to the military junta led by General Augusto Pinochet Ugarte, the president and commander-in-chief of the army.

Within Chile, the only evidence of armed resistance is the occasional report that the security forces have tracked down members of the Revolutionary Left Movement, whose principal leader, Miguel Enriquez, was shot down in a Santiago hideout.

At least 270 other persons, mainly students and workers, have been arrested, according to sworn statements by relatives, and have disappeared. Thousands of others have passed weeks in jail, undergoing beatings and electric shock torture, in some cases several times.

An anonymous accusation of "subversive attitudes" is cause for dismissal as a government employee, teacher, student, or worker in private industry.

The economic austerity program adopted by the junta to try to control the inflation inherited from the Allende regime has reduced the real wages of workers who still have a job, and has thrown out of work about 300,000 others. Labor leaders who protest, such as Hector Cuevas, a Communist who headed the construction workers union, are jailed, and others, such as Luis Villena, a Christian Democrat who was national president of the copper workers, are arrested and tortured.

The workers, shantytown dwellers, and peasants who were the short-run beneficiaries of Dr. Allende's "consumer socialism" are suffering hard times and can't do much about it.

The leaders of the private business and farm-owner associations who organized the "middleclass" consumer and truckers strikes against Dr. Allende proclaim their adherence to President Pinochet in public rallies and patriotic assemblies. They declare their acceptance of "sacrifices" in exchange for labor and political "tranquility." Some officials are trying to organize a "national civic movement" out of these elements, although political parties are banned.

Only newspapers which support the junta are allowed to publish. They are as partisan as the official press was under Dr. Allende.

The most serious domestic criticism of the junta comes from church groups attacking violations of human rights and the regressive effects on low-income families of the economic program.

The only important independent political force that still has a voice in Chile is the Christian Democratic party of former President Eduardo Frei Montalva. Although the party was declared in "recess" by the junta, it still has a national structure and a unified leadership around Mr. Frei, who is in close contact with the Roman Catholic hierarchy. The Christian Democrats have voted to steer clear of collaboration with the junta, but they also rejected any opposition front including the Communist party.

The censorship has allowed the circulation of a monthly magazine called Politics and Spirit which has been taken over by the Christian Democratic leadership. It criticizes the human rights violations by the police, the failure of the courts to exercise judicial review, and the junta's economic policies.

Circulation of the obscure magazine has risen to nearly 10,000 copies in a few months and it is read by influential persons in military circles. The Christian Democrats say their aim is to free the military leaders from a group of extreme rightwing political advisers and bring about a junta more responsive to democratic principles.

There is no indication that President Pinochet will relax the repressive aspects of what he calls a "crusade" to save Chile from "international Communism." But some Christian Democrats believe that other military views, more tolerant of political democracy, may emerge if the economic policies now being pursued fail to bring Chile out of its deep recession and if Chile continues to find it difficult to obtain foreign aid and investments because of the human rights issue.

New York Times

Members of the Military Junta

. . . AND THE PLOT TO STARVE HER

By ANTHONY LEWIS
New York Times

On Sept. 15, 1970, former president Nixon met in the White House with John Mitchell, attorney-general; Richard Helms, director of Central Intelligence, and Henry Kissinger, assistant for national security affairs. Nixon ordered the CIA to help organize a military coup in Chile to keep Salvador Allende from becoming president.

What Americans plotted and did in Chile in 1970 after that meeting is described in harrowing detail in the interim report of the Senate intelligence committee.

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Sen. Frank Church described the assassination episodes as "aberrations." That may be true of such grotesqueries as the idea of giving Fidel Castro a diving suit poisoned like Medea's gift of a wedding gown. But the Chile affair cannot be dismissed as long ago or far away or aberrant. Some of its planners remain in office, notably Helms and Kissinger. And while everyone in Washington now deplores assassination plots, that is not so clear of attempts to organize coups against other governments.

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What makes the Chile story so important is that it was not an assassination plot. It was examined by the Church committee because the commander-in-chief of the Chilean army, Gen. Rene Schneider, happened to be killed as anti-Allende forces tried to kidnap him. But without that kidnap attempt and killing, the conduct of American officials would be just as troubling.

Helms, for example, reported that he was discouraged at his task of organizing a military coup because "the (Chilean) army was constitutionalist." That was the attitude of a U.S. high official — regret that another democracy's army followed the principles Americans profess.

If a future president told a Mitchell, a Helms, a Kissinger that he wanted the constitutional system of a friendly country overthrown, would one of them murmur a protest? Would anyone say, "You cannot do that, Mr. President?" Would anyone resign rather than carry out such orders? Or would they simply regret the obstacle of constitutionalism in the target country?

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Or consider the behavior of the U.S. ambassador to Chile in 1970, Edward Korry. Some of the most loathsome words quoted in the Senate report are his. He was trying to persuade the retiring president of Chile, Eduardo Frei, to join in a coup to prevent Allende's succession. In a report to Kissinger, Korry said he had applied pressure to Frei by sending him this message:

"Not a nut or a bolt will be allowed to reach Chile under Allende . . .We shall do all within our power to condemn Chile and the Chileans to utmost deprivation and poverty . . ."

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Is that the standard of diplomatic nicety for U.S. ambassadors?

Kissinger is central to any serious assessment of whether U.S. policy has really changed. He was a key figure in the Chile affair.

If Kissinger were big enough to admit error in Chile — or for that matter to defend what was done — that would be one thing. Instead he has tried to escape responsibility, using what could politely be called deception. He testified in 1973 that the CIA had been involved in the 1970 Chilean election in only "a very minor way." If that record of money and guns and subversion was "minor," one shudders to think what he would call major.

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Kissinger testified that the efforts against Allende were "turned off" at a White House meeting on Oct. 15, 1970. CIA witnesses vigorously disputed this, and CIA minutes of the meeting said Kissinger directed that the agency "Continue keeping the pressure on every weak spot in sight — now, after (the election) and into the future . . ."

Senator Church and his commitee have done a great service in getting this remarkable report published. But they will not be finished until they find out what the U.S. did in Chile after Oct. 15, 1970 — and pin down what covert measures Henry Kissinger is still prepared to use, short of assassination.

It Took Tree Surgeon To Find the Murrelet

STRAY FEATHERS
harold hosford

Seems like the weather is on everybody's mind these days so, by way of a change, let's have a weather story — one with a special twist.

This one involves a tree surgeon, a foot of snow, a California State Park, and North America's only unsolved avian nesting mystery.

The story can begin almost anytime in the past 100 years but since this is supposed to be a weather story let's try January 1974. In that month, in one particularly devastating storm, more than a foot of heavy wet snow was dumped on the usually snowless Santa Cruz Mountains just south of San Francisco.

Big Basin Redwoods State Park bore the brunt of the storm with thousands of its beautiful oaks, arbutus, Douglas firs and redwoods damaged by the weight of the snow.

It was a scene of complete chaos that greeted park officials in spring as they prepared Big Basin for the coming tourist season. Once the immensity of the clean-up operation was fully realized, the park was closed both to protect tourists from falling limbs and to facilitate the work.

By August the clean-up was nearing completion and Hoyt Foster, a tree surgeon and expert climber, was involved in removing dangerously damaged limbs from a stand of Douglas fir near park headquarters.

On the morning of the 7th, Foster's day began with an ascent of a 200-foot giant. It was to be a momentous ascent.

Later, as Foster hoisted himself level with the first great branch of the Douglas fir, 150 feet above the ground, he came upon something he subsequently described as "a most unusual bird . . . like a squashed-up porcupine, with a beak sticking out."

At that moment, although Foster and his work-mates were completely unaware of it, ornithological history was being made. Not since 1930, when Dewey Soper, a Canadian Wildlife Biologist, trekked across Baffin Island to find the long-sought nesting grounds of the Lesser Snow Goose, has such a momentous ornithological event occurred in North America.

Soper wrote the second but last chapter on the nesting grounds of North American birds; since then the nest of only one species remained to be found — a rather common, dumpy little seabird of the Pacific coast, the Marbled Murrelet. Foster's "most unusual bird" turned out to be a chick Marbled Murrelet — the first ever seen in its nest.

A fairly long train of events were necessary to determine this, including rescuing the young bird after it had made the perilous 150-foot descent under its wn power, only to have it die the next day.

It was the culmination of a search that had led from Siberia to southern California, to Alaska and British Columbia, and even to Vancouver Island; a search which, several times, was on the verge of success only to end in a cul-de-sac of speculation; and a search which, near the end, saw the National Audubon Society of the United States offer a reward for its successful conclusion.

Over the years, bits of eggshell, dead young birds, mysterious flights inland at dusk, had all led to the suspicion that the birds nested among the trees and far inland. But this was as far as the searchers could get. It was like looking for a needle in a haystack—and the murrelets steadfastly refused to reveal the location of even the haystack—at least not until a tree surgeon and 12 inches of snow intervened.

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Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge	1975 High	1975 Low
MINES							
Aalenian	25000	12	8	12		33	5
Aber Mnls	5885	9	6	8		17½	3
Achron	33000	11	9	11	+2	26	8
Adanac	26000	37	31	37		37	18
Adonis	13500	17	10	16	+8	18	3½
Aex	8200	335	310	325		450	181
Afton	5300	575	495	575	+80	650	275
Aleta	1100	12	10	12		25	6
Alice Lk	7500	10	8	8	−2	30	6
Andex Mns	8000	11	10	11	+2	32	3½
Anglo Bo	50500	50	45	50	−5	124	40
Arcdia	12000	18	14	14	−3	49	9
Ardo	13500	5	4½	5	+ ½	10	2
Arodien	3000	24	22	24		39	15
Avino	16000	22	19	22	+2	37	15
Azure	2500	8	7	8		23	3
Balfour	29000	21	17	20	+1	25	10
Barrier Rf	81800	113	98	110	+10	295	69
Bath N	161300	94	84	93	+8	145	72
Bll Mly	15000	12	9½	9½		17	7
Belmoral	106400	79	70	79	−1	180	70
Benson	5500	15½	15	15		26	11
Beth Cop A	2200	$12½	11¾	12½	+ ¾	12½	8½
Billy Goat	11500	5	5	5	+2	14	3
Bow Rvr	54000	32	25	29	+5½	51	20
Bmeda	4400	125	108	125	+10	130	48
Brendon	14250	8	5	8	+2½	17	3
Bullion Mtn	25500	10	5½	10	+3	15	5
BX Dev	87433	238	191	235	+44	238	59
Cbrdg	7000	8	8	8		20	2½
C Brrnca	16500	16	15	16		34	15
Cantla	2700	20	13	20	+4	30	12
Canol	5500	15	10	15	+4	30	9
Canwex	7000	8	7½	7½		22	5½
Car Bell	8000	16	10	15	+6	16	6
Carolin	53400	210	150	196	+46	300	150
C Cons	19000	12	7	12	+6	22	5½
Casino	9100	17	14	17		32	10
Chandalar	540	44	44	44	− ½	55	30
Chnl Gld Rs	400	25	25	25	−1½	39	23
Charta	8000	15	12	15	+4	22	10
Chatex	21500	27	20	23	+3	27	8
Chromx	6000	20	16	20		47	15
Cima Res	6600	39	35	39	+4	74	33
Cinnabar	11700	47	45	45	−2	71	15
Citiec Mini	7850	15	14½	15	+2½	24	10
Claymore	58000	88	80	81	−13	184	80
Colby Mns	76100	80	70	75	−2	159	51
Col A w	348	800	800	800		14¼	785
Ciman B	1100	800	800	800		14⅞	700
Col pra	9500	93	90	90	−3	160	84
Cit Res	44600	25	18	23	+3	73	15
Comet Ind	7800	48	40	45	+15	75	30
Con Bamt	12600	13½	9½	13	+5	26	5
Con Bound	111332	22½	19	21	+1	31	10
Cons Citex	16400	23	22	22	+1	33	21
Cons Cst Sl	33542	9	2	9	+6	18	2
Cons Colum	50320	22	16	20	+2	56	3
Cons Kalco	1000	18	18	18	+3	26	15
Cons Butt	500	6	6	6		14	3
Cons Tran	3000	14	13	14	−1	20	8
Cop Ght	8500	10	9	10	+1	12½	6
Copr Lak	90000	26	20	25	+2	37	6
Coralta	10500	40	39	39	−1	44	18
Cream	20000	21	15	20	+5	40	11
Cree Lak	3500	45	40	40	−3	45	10
Ctlas Expl	84500	26	19	25	+6	66	15
Cyp Anv Mn	200	900	900	900	+25	950	750
Cypre Res	35200	45	38	42	+4	103	36
Dalton Dev	21500	7	5	7	+1½	47	3
Dankoe	7635	200	180	195	+5	256	175
Darkhawk	8000	22	20	22	+3	34	15
Dav Kys	16550	33	14	33	+15	33	14
Dol Var	39900	20	14	19	+4	30	8
Dus Mac	60200	55	45	55	+9	55	23
Enex	3900	40	35	40		64	24
Equat	40700	7	5	6	+2	8½	2
Fosco Mng	14000	11	9	10	+2	25½	5½
Geo Dyn	197000	28	23	28	+2½	29	8¼
Giant Ex	6000	5½	4½	5½	+1½	10	1
Gnt Mas	3300	100	95	100	+2	145	46
Gbritar	15750	625	525	575	+37½	625	395
Gladiat	141355	11½	6½	10	+3½	19½	5
G Gate	12000	24	19	24	+5½	40	18
Gldn Gnit	51423	20	15	19	+4	53	13½
Golden Std	4100	25	24	25	+7	37½	16
Gold River	11500	11	8	11		20	7
Grandora	29000	13	10	12	+1	65	10
Grnduc	16100	120	100	118	+13	132	100
G N Pete	30029	16	7½	16	+3½	22	7½
Green Egle	142500	8	7	8	+2	18	6
Gsa Res	172429	150	121	130	−5	150	21
Hallmark	26500	56	48	56	+3	82	35
Henrieta	4800	21	20	20		31	12
Hibernian	20000	14	10	13	+2½	38	10
Hilnd Lode	11500	5	5	5		14½	3
Hihhawk	26000	20	15	19	+4	37	10
H Merc	23000	20	15	20	+1	56	14½
Hmont	16100	120	90	120	+30	130	55
Ice Station	3000	10½	10½	10½		16	5
Imp Met	7000	17	16	16		27	12
Initial	8300	20	11	20	+6	35	11
Jackpot	3500	5½	5	5½	+ ½	20	4
Jersey	43400	44	40	43		64	6
Joy Ind Ltd	14000	60	50	58	+10	60	20
Kamad	9600	13	8	13	+2	33	8
Klondex	1000	22	22	22		63	18
Lada Dev	9000	38	30½	38	+8	44	30
Laguna	12500	9	8	9		17	8
Laronge	2000	5	5	5	+1	13	2
Laura	32287	12	9	9	−2½	13	6
Lobell	1000	7	7	7	+1½	12	4½
Lori Explor.	12000	10	7½	10	+2½	20	7
Lornex	450	800	780	800	+20	800	365
LP Indust	22120	20	15	20		42	15
M M Prcpn	8500	26	23	26	+4	57	8
Magnum	500	20	20	20	+5	32	14
Makaoo	18025	8	8	8		16	5
Mark V	22000	55	52	52	−3	121	50
Mvrck	26500	9	5½	9		15	5½
Medallion	1000	10	10	10		22	8
Midas	23616	18	16	17	−3	65	8
Mrl Mtn	5500	3½	3½	3½		7	2
Mt Sickr	2000	4	4	4	+ ½	6	1½
Mt Wash	4000	8	7	8		12	4
Nadina	16100	15	10	15	+5	20	8
Nevex	8000	75	65	75	+5	122	50
New Chief	200	3	3	3	−2	15	2
N Cinch	1200	18	18	18	−2	30	18
Nw Jericho	1500	8	8	8	+3	10	2
New Minex	8600	18	13½	18	+6	43	9
N Privtr	10000	8	5	8		12	4
New Pyrm	260491	35	26	28½	−6½	98	26
N Terr	6000	12	9½	9½	+1½	17	8
Nicola Cop	3000	7	6	7	+1	12	4
Northair	163200	235	195	223	+28	270	161
North Isl	20000	2	2	2	−4	6½	2
N Homstak	99000	13	10	11	−4	36	2
NW Vent	19300	84	78	83	+7	90	44
Nuspar	2700	14	10	14	+1	25	7
Oro	3500	5	4	5	+2	7½	3
Oxbow	26498	65	60	64		65	10
Pacific Res	37300	173	150	165	−8	240	150
Parmnt	2000	10	9	9		20	5½
Pthfndr	13300	24	21½	23		30	13
Peel	2500	4	4	4		7	3
Pegasus	9000	40	35	40		120	33
Perry Rvr	6900	210	197	197	−18	219	150
Peso Slvr	100	20	20	20		50	8
Pne Lke	1000	3	3	3		10	2
Prism Res	2000	19	19	19		24	12
QC Expl	292500	103	84	94	+3	105	15½
Qtsino	6500	7	6	7		15	4
Rackla	15000	21	18½	19	−2	34	10
Ramco Ind	10200	15½	13	13	−4	41½	8½
Reako Exp	10000	20½	20½	20½		30	18
Redfor Mn	5900	45	33	45		45	16
Rio Plata	29900	30	22	30	+4	55	22
Riviera Ind	68000	5	4	5		8	2
Robert Mns	11000	15½	11	15½	+4½	23	11
Ryslo Silvr	23500	28	25	26½	−3½	43	15
Sabina	22875	142	130	130	−14	180	66
S Jacinto	6500	19	17	19	+1	50	16
Saxton Ind	9850	43	35	40		45	12
Seaforth	15500	22	18	21	+1	75	17
Shelmar	8000	16	16	16		38	10
Sheba	1000	8	8	8	+1½	13	5
Shld Dev	1000	30	30	30	−3	56	25
Sicintine	7500	10	8	8½	+ ½	31	8
Slr City	17140	6	5	6	+1	12	3
S Chief	8487	25	18	20	−5	25	9
Slr Ridge	500	3½	3½	3½		5	2
S Spring	8000	27	26	26	−1	50	20
S Stndrd	612843	112	89	107	+16	136	80
Skaist	93000	18	12	16	+5	28½	8
Sonic Ray	87300	34	24	32	+8	34	8
Sonesta Re	9000	15	11½	15	+3½	36	11
S Seas	6500	5	3	4		7	2
Sproatt	57500	28	17	23	+5	58	13
Stall Lak	400	42	36	36	−4	80	30
Taseko	2000	10	10	10		13	5
Thor Expl	35400	125	115	125		375	115
Tnta Hill Ms	800	17	15	17	+ ½	42	14
Tinta Slv	8000	46	42	46	+6	46	25
Trwest	110500	18	11	15	+2	19½	3
Tourngn	4000	19	15	15	−5	42	15
Tcon Res	400	14	14	14	−2	18	11
Turismo	1000	8	8	8	+1	10	1
Tyee	5000	7	7	7		18	3
Unitd Chief	3200	23	22	22	+1	30	10
Unitd Frtn	7000	32	26	32	+6	34	22
U Hearne	5100	30	28	30		56	24
U Gold	13000	15	12	15	+3	37	11
U Rayore	5000	40	40	40		77	23
U Westld	1000	8½	6½	6½	−1	12	4
Val Co	8542	765	680	730	+30	765	520
Vntor Res	6500	55	47	50		55	23
Vestor Ex	62500	93	67	93	+23	220	67
Vieco Res	38600	42	38	40	+2	155	10
Wicome	16100	103	95	103	+3	145	65
W Mines	5000	285	260	285	−35	320	28
W Ring H	200	93	93	93	−2	110	70
Whipsw	2000	7	7	7		22	5
Ykn Rev	5500	16	15	16	+1	54	13
Yukon Gold	29000	29½	24	29½	+9½	68	20
Znith	5000	12½	12½	12½		24	8
Warrants and Rights							
Col B w	3000	50	30	30	+5	540	25
Grdstr Wts	39600	73	50	57	−3	73	15
Slvr Std Wts	153900	45	25	43		45	25
Total sales, mines							5,914,995
114 Advances,			38 Declines,				59 Unchanged
INDUSTRIALS							
Al stl b	150	400	400	400	+10	5½	325
All Ven Pro	1056	150	110	150	+35	255	110
Ath Col	900	150	140	150		235	95
Austin	200	43	43	43		59	28
BBC Rty Un	1975	$12½	12¼	12½	+ ¼	13⅜	10¼
Bm Rt Un	400	$12⅜	12⅜	12⅜	− ⅜	13⅜	11⅞
Balco	250	270	255	255		420	175
B Montrl	900	$16¼	16¼	16¼	− ¼	18	13
Block	7100	350	350	350		365	300
BC Sugar A	5000	$21½	21½	21½		23	18⅞
BC Tel	200	$10	10	10	− ¾	11¾	9½
Cdn Cel Ltd	900	512	500	500		725	485
C P	200	$13⅛	13⅛	13⅛	− ½	17⅛	13
C Tokar	1100	130	120	125	+5	130	50
Canfor	2000	$5¼	5⅛	5¼	+ ⅛	5¼	5⅛
Canterra	65700	60	40	41	−9	140	12
Computx Ct	2000	25	25	25	+5	40	14
Crstwd	1000	80	80	80	+3	90	67
Daon Dev	2900	$5⅞	5⅛	5½	+ ⅜	5⅞	5
Daon pf A	300	$6¼	6¼	6¼	− ⅛	6½	6⅛
Doman	1300	650	637	650		737	415
Field	600	$9⅜	9	9		13	9
Finning	800	$9½	9	9	− ½	10⅛	7
Gestalt Ltd	1100	60	49	50	−1	100	28
GN Land	16200	115	95	110	+20	115	65
Grovenor	400	$12½	12	12		13	9
Grouse	41191	140	130	140	+5	140	85
Imp Marine	1000	7	3	7		12	2
I Wood	6250	70	60	60	−10	100	55
Intl Centur	16000	5	5	5		12	5
I Hydro	5300	39	33	37	−2	55	23
Ionarc	4200	18	15	15		35	12
Kaiser	3400	1000	975	1000		1275	490
Keg Rest	503	76	76	76		100	58
K Dyong	180	150	150	150		200	100
Key Ind	13300	20	15	16	−4	22	4
M B	14150	$19½	18⅛	18½	+ ½	25¼	16⅞
Madill	100	$9	9	9		9¾	7
Mhwk pr	800	235	230	230		285	200
Mhawk	300	100	100	100		100	60
Neonex	300	120	120	120		200	103
Newmark	10100	60	50	60	+10	149	50
Nornda	100	$29⅜	29⅜	29⅜	− ⅛	37¼	29⅜
N Electric	10600	$23¼	23¼	23¼		25⅞	23
NW Sprts	460	350	300	325		495	240
Pace	2900	180	162	165	−20	185	53
PN Gas	4270	325	300	325	+35	350	170
PNG pr	300	$15	14¾	14¾		17	13¾
Pac Pete	700	$28	28	28		28	19⅛
Portcm	7600	85	75	76	−9	85	20
Potter	650	325	325	325	+5	385	305
Proflex	11300	25	23	23		39	21
Renn Ind	2700	125	115	115	−15	130	35
Sand	100	$7¼	7¼	7¼		7¼	6
Sartoga	200	400	400	400		460	330
Shell cda	500	$15	15	15		17½	14⅝
G Spring	1200	40	31	40		77	25
Trns Amer	560	10	10	10	+2	12	3
Tr Mtn	800	$9¼	9⅛	9¼	− ¼	10½	9⅛
Uncle Ben e	500	40	40	40	−10	100	40
Unity Bank	100	350	350	350		415	350
Wardr	2970	220	205	215	+5	240	120
Web Knap	6000	30	29	29	−3	48	25
Wscorp	500	$7	7	7		7⅞	7
Whon A	100	550	550	550		650	420
Wdwrd	3100	$18⅝	18½	18⅝		23⅜	17¼
Warrants and Rights							
Bk NS Rts	9	62	62	62		62	
Bbc Wt	500	110	106	110	+4	235	93
Total sales, industrials							290,424
17 Advances,			18 Declines,				33 Unchanged
OILS							
Alaska Ken	600	7	7	7	−1	20	4
August Pet	212988	37	26	36	+9	37	8
Capt Int	28850	8¼	5	8	+1	42	4
Csstle	40	33	33	33	−2	58	33
Charltn	40800	30	25	27	−1	68	23
Clonial	9200	65	50	65	+15	65	33
Comaplex	2000	13	12	13	+5	40	8
Comrcl	2000	5½	5½	5½		12	5¼
Concept	1500	80	80	80	+25	175	55
Con Payet e	1600	19	19	19		27	16
Cop Ex	12000	9	7	9	+2	20	5
Coseka Res	3000	280	280	280	+5	365	165
Coynex Dev	32800	160	140	155	+14	195	75
Davnport	9500	47	45	47	+5	76	32
Davoll Nat	17000	35	31	35	+6½	35	16
F St Jhn	8000	50	50	50	+8	65	40
Freehld	8900	42	30	42	+11	100	30
Futurty	9000	5	4½	4½		12	2
Galveston	2300	195	190	195		195	117
Gt Reef	4500	45	45	45		50	25
Greenid Ex	8000	10½	10	10½		60	7
Montrey A	16300	8	7½	8	+ ½	18	3
Mtn Stats	21000	35	30	31	+1	82	15
Pan Ocn	67	900	900	900		13½	725
Plains P	6380	14	14	14		21	6
Pondry	4900	24	20	20	+7	45	13
Rainier	4600	105	100	100		120	33
Rand A	5833	13	10	13	−2	88	10
Rep Pete Co	500	95	95	95		150	70
Seneca	3800	39	35	39	−1	114	35
Silmil Ltd	833	13	13	13	−9	22	2
S Christi	26000	10½	10	10½		25	4½
Skat Res	1000	50	50	50	+4	65	32
Stampd	12500	330	305	320	−10	405	63
Sunlite	1400	405	390	400	+50	540	210
Tacoma res	21900	15	10	14	−1	31	9
Whistlr Pet	1340	18	18	18	−1	26	17
Wms Gold	13500	7½	3	7	+2	10	1
Total sales, oils							556,431
18 Advances,			9 Declines,				11 Unchanged
VANCOUVER CURB EXCHANGE							
Aaron	14500	35	32	34	−1	35	30
Abaca	16700	36	31	35		50	20
Acaplomo	3000	4	3	4	+1	16	2
Action	8390	5	5	5		21	5
Adar Res	10000	5	4	4	+ ¾	8½	1
Amber	16500	13	11	12	+2	20	8
Amca	13000	35	28	30	−1	48	17
Arctic G S	99050	13	8	10	−2	40	8
Aurus	27000	46½	39	46½	+3½	55	15
Avalanch	15500	90	85	85	−2	90	30
Beach Gold	36000	19	16	17½	+1½	51	16
Brmastr	10600	10	8	8	−2	50	8
Betina	1500	25	25	25		33	12
Bnvsta	10000	7	7	7		31	5
Bonevil	2000	26	26	26	+1	32	5
Brent Expl	3000	10½	10½	10½		47	10
Br P Inv	13000	13	12	12	+2	19	5
Bron Mns	3500	29	29	29	−1	32	20
Bur Gld	26000	15	13	14	+1	49	7
Cadet Res	224000	28	21½	21½	−1	52	8
Cannon	5500	22	20	22	+2	22	12
Canorex	4000	24	24	24		72	21
Crdwell	13300	5	4	4		17	2
Centpa Dev	4500	50	47	50	+5	57	32
Challeng	4500	30	25	25	−5	73	15
Cleaver	11000	20	14	20	+10	39	10
Cobre	2000	13	13	13	+1½	22	4
Con Altar	10125	6	3	6		12	3
Cons Cinola	1750	10	7	7	−3	25	7
Cons Mon	3000	16	16	16		69	13
Cordba Dev	10000	10	7	7	−2	53	7
Corval	44500	54	45	45	−10	75	20
Cusac Ind	2600	7	7	7	+1	14	5
Dallas Exp	1000	30	30	30	−2	35	30
Darva Res	2000	10	10	10		31	5½
Dasher	10500	10	5	10	+2½	32	5
Dawson Rg	2000	10	10	10		20	10
Data Sys	3100	20	18	20		30	10
Deans Ind	500	35	35	35	+5	68	12
Decade De	6000	22	16½	20	+2	55	16½
Deer Lk	2500	26	26	26		45	20
Diana	50500	45	35	39	−2	55	15
Dorchestr	8500	9	9	9	+3	38	6
Dorita	5000	9	8	9	+2	10	1
Dune Mrl	16000	17	12½	17	+2	40	12½
Edina	18600	51	45	49	−2	56	22
Envoy Res	9500	25	23½	23½	+3½	39	8
Espina	50000	51	40	50	+10	51	13
Gbx Mns	11002	77	74	74	−6	80	13
Gentry	10000	13	10	12	+1	40	9½
Geor	20000	16	15	16		44	10
Geoquest	7500	50	45	45	−5	100	30
Geo Star	6000	7	6	7	+1½	18½	5
Gold An Re	17500	39	33	38	+5	47	26½
Gdn Shmrk	2100	15	15	15		23	11
Gold Vally	6480	25	15	22	+2	35	9
Grand Prix	32200	112	102	110		112	20
Grng	10500	20	15	20	−5	54	15
Grt Bear	62000	21	17	20	+2	87	8
Green Bluff	1000	7½	7½	7½		12	6½
Grenwd ex	5000	50	50	50		50	20
Groton	35000	19½	15	18	−3	44	10½
Hercon Res	2500	15	15	15	−2	30	13
Hesca Res	14000	40	36	40	+4	45	25
Hilnd Quen	3500	30	25	25		118	15
Highid Star	18000	20	16	18	−2	41	11
Hope Bay	9115	205	200	205		300	145
Host Vent	264600	110	74	98	+26	115	15
Intl Shasta	23400	35	30	30	−7	52	20
Junex	154000	27	18	27	+7	47	10
Juniper	12000	11	7½	11	+3½	22	7½
Kandahar	53200	100	82	93	+9	190	13
Kariba Mn	75500	20½	20	20		30½	16
Keith Cop	6000	10	9	10		10	4
Kelmount	6000	8	4	8	+4	19	4
Kendal Mn	4000	10	5	10	+4	27	5
Komo	5500	2	2	2		6½	1
Leman Re	33500	38	30	35	−2	48	23
Lion Mines	29000	13	10	13	+1	24	4
Lou Mex	12000	10	9	10	+1	29	7
Luaarn Mtl	6000	11	10½	10½	+ ½	36	8
Manox	10000	10	10	10		19	6
Mcleod	8500	29	25	25	−3	62	6
Mns Dorad	16000	30	21	25	+2	81	18
Mntor Res	2000	15	15	15	+3	20	8
Mnore Mtls	5500	18	16	16	−3	35	11
Mont Grnd	2900	10	8	8	−2	15	4
Mundee	12000	20	15	20	+2	60	14
Nahatich	256500	25	19	25	+5	26	15
New Chem	2062	14	7	14		15	7
New Denvr	17000	20	14	20	+4	28	7
Nomad	24500	35	28	35	+2	74	15
Nrthn Valy	3500	8	5	5		14	5
Norwich	16000	10	5	10	+4	28	5
Olympian	304000	62	42	60	+14	62	21
Orina	500	36	36	36	+2	42	27
Petrowt	4000	13	13	13	+2	153	7½
Philco Res	53500	39	29	35	+6	41	13
Pizza Patio	9000	75	70	70	−5	75	13
Premier	2000	15	15	15		40	10
Quest	25700	31	30	31	+1	35	16
Rainbow	2900	31	30	30	−5	95	29
Reniks	7000	70	66	66	−4	93	40
Rimrck	39500	70	61	70		80	24
Rio Siera	23500	9	7½	9	−1	20	7
Rockel	18000	75	71	75		92	45
Ronrico	5000	73	65	65		73	
Santa Sar	4700	8	4¼	8	+1¾	17	4
Serafd Dv	4000	12	12	12		26	8
Sea Chem	500	10	10	10		53	10
Shelter	5000	7	5	5		13	4
Simnac	300	4	4	4		14	4
Southcan	14500	40	35	35	−3	44	25
Starbrd M	16000	15	13	15	+4	20	7
Susie Gold	33500	21	15	16		21	15
Swim Lk	1500	23	23	23	−1½	33	10
Tagus	17500	5	4½	5		39	3
Tampico	4000	27	24	24		75	15
Tandem	4000	21½	21½	21½		78	15
Tapin	51000	16	12	12	+1½	38	10
Toronado	1000	10	10	10		21	6½
TRV	9000	95	80	93	+13	129	12½
Vanalta	103000	16	12½	15	+2½	18	7
Van Silver	37800	70	48	65	+15	70	37
Westley	1000	30	30	30	+3	75	25
Westwind	500	20	20	20		41	13
Yelowston	2500	10	10	10		29	10
Yukonadn	10500	11	8	8	−3	12	4
Total sales, curbs							3,006,674
55 Advances,			32 Declines,				41 Unchanged
TOTA VOLUME THIS WEEK							9,768,524
204 Advances,			97 Declines,				144 Unchanged

VANCOUVER CLOSING STOCKS

FRIDAY

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
MINES					
Aalen	20000	12	10	12	+4
Achron	21500	11	10	11	+1
Adanac	12000	37	35	37	+2
Adonis	7500	17	15	16	+3
Aex	2700	335	320	325	
Afton	3100	575	540	575	
And Mns	5000	11	11	11	+1
Anglo Bo	10000	50	50	50	
Arcdia	3000	14	14	14	−1
Ardo	8500	5	5	5	
Aroden	1000	24	24	24	
Avino	1500	22	22	22	
Azure	2000	8	7	8	
Balfour	24000	21	19	20	+2
Barier R	57500	113	107	110	+6
Bath N	134900	94	87	93	
Blmorl	40300	79	73	79	+6
Beth C A	1900	$12½	12⅜	12½	+ ½
Bily Got	11500	5	5	5	
Bow Rvr	30000	32	28	29	+3½
Bmeda	2000	125	125	125	+2
Brend	6000	8	5	8	+2½
Bullion	11000	10	9	10	
BX Dev	32380	238	225	235	+10
Cbrdg	7000	8	8	8	
C Barr	13000	16	16	16	
Cantla	2500	20	16	20	
Canol	1500	15	15	15	+5
Car Bell	4000	16	15	15	
Carolin	32500	210	195	196	+1
C Cons	14000	12	10	12	
Casino	2500	17	17	17	+2
Chnl Gld	z400	25	25	25	
Charta	3000	15	15	15	
Chatex	8500	27	23	23	+2
Chrmx	2000	20	20	20	
Cima	3000	39	39	39	
Cinabr	2000	45	45	45	
Citl Mll	5100	15	15	15	
Clayme	11500	83	80	81	
Colby	20000	79	73	75	+3
Ciman A	348	800	800	800	
Colt Ltd	14000	25	20	23	+2
Comet	1500	48	45	45	
C Bamt	6000	13½	13	13	+3½
C Bound	21000	22½	20	21	
Cns Ctex	6500	22	22	22	
Con Ct Sl	19500	9	7	9	+3
Cons Col	15500	22	19	20	+2
Cns Klco	1000	18	18	18	
Cop Gnt	3000	10	10	10	
Copr Lk	15000	26	25	25	+1
Coralta	2500	40	39	39	
Cream	7000	21	19	20	+3
Cutlass	48500	26	23	25	+4
Cyp Anv	100	900	900	900	
Cypres	5200	45	40	42	+3
Dalton	5000	7	7	7	
Dankoe	5435	200	190	195	+5
Dav K s	7600	33	25	33	+12
Dol Va	28400	20	17	19	+5
Dus Mac	50200	55	50	55	+6
Enex	2000	40	40	40	
Equat	18000	7	6	6	
Fosco	12000	11	10	10	+1
Geo Dy	89500	28	24	28	+3
Giant Ex	1000	5½	5½	5½	
Gbritar	8350	625	575	575	
Gladiat	90855	11½	9	10	+1
G Gate	4000	24	24	24	+5
Gdn Gnt	15500	20	18	19	+2
Gldn Std	4100	25	24	25	
Gld Rvr	2000	11	11	11	+1
Grando	11000	13	12	12	+2
Grndjc	7600	120	110	118	
G N Pete	8000	16	12½	16	
Grn Eag	136000	8	7½	8	
Gsa Res	13894	131	125	130	
Hallark	16000	56	48	56	
Henriet	4000	21	20	20	
Hib Intl	7000	14	12	13	+2½
Hi Lode	11500	5	5	5	
Hihawk	19000	20	18	19	+2
H Merc	7000	20	17	20	+4
Hmont	11500	120	115	120	+5
Initial	7000	20	17	20	
Jackpt	2500	5½	5	5½	+ ½
Jersey	4500	43	42	43	
Joy Ind	2500	60	57	58	−2
Kamad	5500	13	12	13	
Lada	7300	38	34	38	+7
Laguna	500	9	9	9	
Larong	2000		5	5	
Laura	8500	12	9	9	
Lori E	2000	10	10	10	+2
Lornex	100	800	800	800	+20
LP Ind	14000	20	19	20	+1
M M Prc	5000	26	26	26	+3
Makao	11000	8	8	8	
Mvrck	1500	9	9	9	
Midas	9000	18	17	17	
Mt Sick	1000	4	4	4	
Nadina	14100	15	12	15	+5
Nevex	4000	75	75	75	
Jericho	1500	8	8	8	
Nw Min	3600	18	15	18	+4½
N Privtr	8000	8	7½	8	
New Pyr	87800	30	28	28½	+2½
Nicola	1000	7	7	7	
Nthair	105150	235	221	223	+18
North Isl	20000	2	2	2	
N Home	43500	11½	10	11	+1
NW Vent	6100	84	80	83	+3
Oro	3500	5	4	5	
Oxbow	5499	64	60	64	−1
Pcifc Rs	25100	165	150	165	+5
Pthfndr	1500	23	23	23	
Peel	2500	4	4	4	
Pegses	3000	40	40	40	
Perry R	500	197	197	197	
Peso Slr	100	20	20	20	
Pne Lke	1000	3	3	3	
Prism	2000	19	19	19	
QC Exp	41000	95	90	94	+3
Qtsino	1500	7	7	7	
Rackla	500	19	19	19	
Rac Ind	z200	13	13	13	−1½
Redfrd	3300	45	42	45	+10
Rio Plat	9900	30	30	30	
Riviera	63000	5	4	5	
Robert	8000	15½	13	15½	
Ryslo	12000	26½	25	26½	+1½
Sabina	2900	135	130	130	−5
S Jcinto	4000	19	18	19	+2
Saxton	1000	40	40	40	+5
Seaforh	7500	22	21	21	+1
Sheba	1000	8	8	8	
Slr City	1000	6	6	6	
S Chief	2987	25	18	20	
S Stndrd	156950	112	103	107	+11
Skast	38000	18	14	16	+3
Sonc Ry	25100	34	31	32	
Sonesta	5000	15	13	15	
Sproat	33500	28	23	23	
Stall Lak	200	36	36	36	−6
Tint Slv	1500	46	46	46	
Trwest	55500	18	15	15	
Trsmo	1000	8	8	8	
UFC	900	32	32	32	+4
U Gold	2500	15	14	15	+2
Un Rayr	5000	40	40	40	
Westld	z250	6½	6½	6½	
Vally Cu	5560	765	725	730	+30
Vestor	43500	93	70	93	+23
Veco Rs	17000	41	40	40	
Wicom	10500	103	96	103	+8
W Mines	3000	285	275	285	
Wharf	3000	35	30	30	
Ykn Rev	3500	16	15	16	
Yukn Gd	18000	29½	26	29½	
Warrants and Rights					
Grnst Wt	1000	57	57	57	−1
Sv St Wts	69600	45	40	43	+8
INDUSTRIALS					
Ath Col	500	150	150	150	
Austin	z200	43	43	43	
BBC Un	400	$12½	12½	12½	+ ⅛
Balco	z50	255	255	255	
BC Sug A	5000	$21½	21½	21½	
Cdn Cell	900	$5⅝	5	5	
C Tokar	100	125	125	125	−5
Canfor	300	$5¼	5¼	5¼	
Canter	16600	43	40	41	+1
Daon Dv	1200	$5⅞	5½	5½	+ ¼
Gestalf	z200	50	50	50	+1
GN Land	2000	110	110	110	
Grovnr	300	$12½	12	12	
Grouse	37338	140	130	140	
I Hydro	2000	37	37	37	
Ionarc	1200	15	15	15	
Kaiser	400	$10	10	10	
Key Ind	1000	16	16	16	−1
M B	8600	$19½	18½	18½	
Nwmrk	1000	60	60	60	+5
NW Spts	z30	325	325	325	
Pace	1200	170	162	165	−5
PN Gas	3000	325	325	325	
Pac Pete	700	$28	28	28	
Proflex	500	23	23	23	
Renn In	500	115	115	115	−5
Sndwl A	100	$7¼	7¼	7¼	
Wardr	320	215	215	215	−5
Webb	2000	29	29	29	−1
Wscorp	500	$7	7	7	
Whon A	100	$5½	5½	5½	
Wdwrd	200	$18⅝	18⅝	18⅝	
Warrants and Rights					
Bk NS Rt	z9	62	62	62	
OILS					
August	86400	37	33	36	+5
Capt Int	4000	8¼	8	8	+1
Charltn	25000	30	27	27	+2
Cop Ex	3000	9	7½	9	
Coynex	12600	160	145	155	+10
Davnpt	500	47	47	47	
Davoll	15500	35	33	35	+4
F St Jhn	8000	50	50	50	
Prehld	500	42	42	42	+2
Futurty	3000	4½	4½	4½	− ½
Galvstn	2000	195	190	195	
Greld E	8000	10½	10	10½	
Mtn Stat	13000	35	30	31	
Pondry	2300	20	20	20	
Rep Pet	500	95	95	95	
Seneca	500	39	39	39	+4
Stampd	3170	325	320	320	−5
Tcoma	8500	15	10½	14	+3
Wms Gd	5000	7½	6	7	
VANCOUVER CURB EXCHANGE					
Aaron	5000	34	34	34	+2
Abaca	9000	36	35	35	−1
Acplmo	2000	4	4	4	
Adar	5000	4	4	4	
Amber	6500	12½	11	12	+1
Arctic	5000	10	10	10	
Aurus	4500	46½	45	46½	+1½
Avinch	5000	88	85	85	−3
Bch Gld	3000	19	17½	17½	+1½
Bermst	600	8	8	8	
Bonevil	2000	26	26	26	
BPI	2000	12	12	12	
Cadet	30500	27	21½	21½	−3½
Cannon	500	22	22	22	+2
CXH	1000	24	24	24	
Crdwell	7000	4	4	4	
Cent De	1000	50	50	50	
Chlngr	3000	25	25	25	−5
Cleaver	8500	20	15	20	
Cinola	1750	10	7	7	
Cor Dev	8000	10	7	7	
Corval	31000	53	45	45	
Darva R	2000	10	10	10	
Dasher	5000	10	7	10	+4
Data Sys	3000	20	20	20	
Decade	3000	22	20	20	
Diana	9000	45	36	39	+3
Drcstr	6000	9	9	9	
Dorita	3000	9	9	9	+1
Dune Ml	1500	17	15	17	+4½
Edina	4000	49	49	49	+4
Envoy	9500	25	23½	23½	
Espina	41000	51	44	50	+9
Gentry	6000	13	12	12	
Geor	1500	16	16	16	
Geoqus	3000	47	45	45	
Geo Star	3000	7	7	7	
Gold An	5500	39	37½	38	+1
Gold Vly	6400	25	22	22	
Gd Px	14100	112	110	110	+1
Grn Res	2000	20	20	20	
Grt Bear	11000	21	19	20	+3
Grn Ex	1000	50	50	50	
Groton	2000	18	18	18	+2
Hesca	8500	40	40	40	+2
Hld Qen	500	25	25	25	
High Str	9500	18	17	18	+1
Host	113300	109	96	98	+5
IShasta	13400	35	30	30	−3
Junex	55500	27	24	27	+3
Juniper	6000	11	10	11	+2
Kndahr	11200	100	92	93	+1
Kariba	47000	20½	20	20	
Keith	1000	10	10	10	
Kelmnt	3000	8	8	8	
Kendal	2000	10	10	10	
Lem Re	30500	38	35	35	
Lion Mn	13000	13	10	13	
Lou Mex	2000	10	10	10	
Lurn Mt	2000	10½	10½	10½	
Manox	10000	10	10	10	
Mcleod	2500	25	25	25	−1
Mns Dor	5000	25	21	25	
Mt Grnd	z400	8	8	8	
Mndee	8000	20	15	20	+2
Nahat R	238000	25	19½	25	+5
New Ch	2000	14	14	14	
New Den	4000	20	16	20	+
Nomad	5500	35	35	35	
Norwih	13000	10	5	10	
Olymp	109200	62	55	60	+5
Orina	500	36	36	36	
Phlco Rs	11500	39	31	35	+5
Pizza Pti	1000	70	70	70	−5
Quest	2000	31	31	31	+1
Reniks	1000	66	66	66	−2
Rimrck	2500	70	65	70	
Rio Sera	5000	9	9	9	
Rockel	3500	75	72	75	
Rnrico	5000	73	65	65	
Santa	2000	8	8	8	
Shelter	2000	5	5	5	
Simnac	z300	4	4	4	
Susie Gd	6000	16	15½	16	+1
Tamp	3000	24	24	24	−3
Tapin	18800	16	14	14	
TRV	500	93	93	93	
Van Slr	15000	70	58	65	+10
Westnd	500	20	20	20	
Yelstn	2000	10	10	10	

Three More Take-Overs Approved

OTTAWA (FP) — The federal government has approved three more proposed foreign takeovers, including the acquisition by Hudson's Bay Oil and Gas Co. Ltd., Calgary, of natural gas and oil land interests in Alberta held by Sulpetro of Canada Ltd. of Calgary.

Hudson's Bay Oil and Gas, with 53 percent of its common shares controlled by Continental Oil Co. of Connecticut, last summer agreed to pay a total of some $130-million for Sulpetro's interest in about 1.4 million acres in Alberta, subject to governmetntal approval.

In another take-over approval, the government will allow BP Oil Ltd. of Montreal to acquire the retail gas bar and car wash facilities of Golden Triangle Oils Ltd. of Windsor.

BP is controlled by BP Ltd. of Britain.

Finally, Furnco Construction Canada Ltd. of Hamilton has been given government approval to acquire Walker Vacuum Services Ltd. of Welland, Ont.

Walker does industrial furnace cleaning and manufactures furnace cleaning units and parts.

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The latest approvals were given by the government earlier this week, based on favorable recommendations of the Foreign Investment Review Agency.

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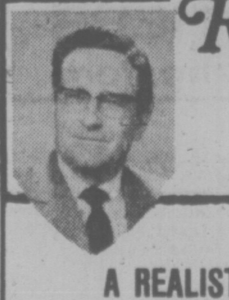

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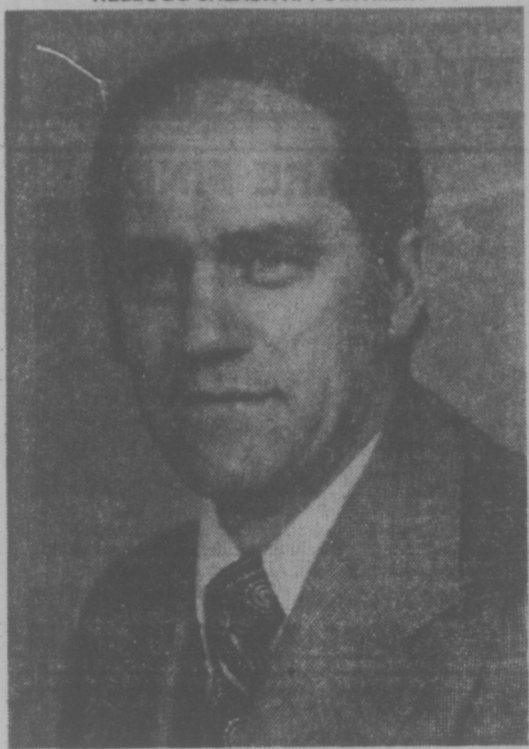

Arnold G Langbo

The appointment of Mr. A. G. Langbo as President and Chief Executive Officer of Kellogg Salada Canada Ltd, effective January 1, 1976, was announced at a recent Board Meeting by Mr. G. D. Robinson, currently Chairman of the Board, President and Chief Executive Officer.

Arny Langbo was born and educated in Vancouver, and joined Kellogg's in 1956 as a salesman. He obtained increased responsibility in Prince George, Vancouver, Winnipeg and Toronto, from where he went to Kellogg's world-wide Head Office, Battle Creek, Michigan in 1967. He was there named Administrative Assistant to the President in 1969, and in 1970 returned to Kellogg's Canadian Head Office in London as Executive Vice-President.

With Kellogg's purchase of Salada Foods, he became Vice-President Sales and Marketing of both companies in 1971, and in 1974 appointed to his current position, Senior Vice-President Sales and Marketing.

Mr. Langbo's marketing strength and total business acumen will provide fine leadership for the Company. ***

Quebec Increasing Petroleum Usage

MONTREAL (CP) — Despite Quebec's increasing dependence on natural gas and hydroelectric power, the proviece makes greater use of petroleum products in satisfying its energy requirements than any other region in Canada except the Atlantic provinces.

A recent Gazette report showed that not only is oil use high in Quebec, but its importance in the province's energy mix has been increasing while petroleum dependence in the rest of Canada has stabilized.

In 1972 Ontario consumed more oil than Quebec, but oil use accounted for a smaller part of its energy needs. The Atlantic provinces used petroleum for a greater proportion of their energy needs 84.9 per cent, but used less than half the quantity used by Quebec.

Measured in British thermal units, petroleum products rose to 73.8 per cent of Quebec's energy mix in 1972 from 65.3 per cent in 1958. Natural gas made impressive percentage gains, but still accounted for only 4.5 per cent of energy use in 1972 — up from 0.6 per cent in 1958.

The disruption of oil supply in late 1973 and early 1974 pushed natural gas to six per cent, representing a 25-per-cent increase in the colume of gas used in Quebec.

Pierre Dupuis, vice-president of Imperial Oil Ltd., said that traditional growth in eastern Canadian energy requirements has been oil and not natural gas.

"It's a chicken and egg thing," Mr. Dupuis said. "Natural gas didn't grow here because it wasn't here and it wasn't here because it didn't grow."

Mr. Dupuis said that popularity of oil in Eastern Canada can be attributed to the national oil policy adopted in 1961. Based on the recommendations of a royal commisssion created in 1957, the oil policy outlined steps to stimulate crude oil production in Western Canada.

The policy stated that foreign crude oil imports into Eastern Canada could not be sold west of the Ottawa Valley. Because production costs made western oil more expensive than imported oil, Quebecers and Maritimers paid less than other Canadians for gasoline and fuel oil.

Refined petroleum products are especially popular in the Montreal area because of low transport costs from the refiner to the user. Montreal's six east-end refineries produce 545,100 barrels a day.

These refineries are supplied with crude oil through a jointly-owned pipeline running from Portland, Me. A pipeline is being built from Sarnia to Montreal, but the feeling within the industry is that little western crude will flow into Montreal.

Many industry officials feel that by the time the line is finished, the western provinces will not have enough oil to supply the east.

In 1972 Quebec led the country in the use of hydroelectric power in its energy mix. Electricity accounted for 20.1 per cent of energy used compared with a Canadian average of 14.4 per cent.

Electricity has been making inroads into both the home heating market and the commercial sector in Quebec. However, in industry, which consumes the most energy, it has become less of a factor and the industrial sector itself has been declining.

The Arab oil embargo of 1973-1974 illustrated the need for development of alternative sources of oil production. Prices of developed Arab oil reserves had been kept too low to encourage rapid development of oil sands and offshore reserves.

Toronto Most Active

FRIDAY

27970	Pac Pete	27¾	+ 1
23899	Kaiser Res	10	+ ¼
23580	Imperial Oil A	23⅞	+ ⅛
21582	MacMillan	18½	
19100	Zellers	4.75	+ .20
18000	Cnd Intl Pwr B	14½	
17492	Cdn Pac	13⅝	+ ½
16110	Cominco	33¾	+ 1¼
14986	Massey	19½	+ ⅛
13351	Alcan Alum	19⅞	— ⅛
	Mines and Oils		
45200	Redstone Res	.52	+ .06
28350	Spooner Ines	.17	
30421	Pan Ocean Oil	9⅞	+ ⅜
29900	Granduc	1.20	+ .20
28315	Gibraltar	.6	+ ½

GROUP AVERAGES

Banks	301.91	—1.19
Beverages	264.70	—4.36
Chemicals	108.20	+0.60
Communications	369.21	+1.59
Construction mtrl	149.78	—1.96
Food processing	260.95	+0.47
Gen manufacturing	155.79	+1.11
Industrial mines	103.96	+1.27
Merchandising	335.54	+1.02
Oil refining	192.34	+0.89
Paper—forest products	94.64	+0.60
Pipelines	154.06	+0.82
Real estate	150.34	+0.53
Steels	193.30	+0.02
Trust and loan	229.82	+1.27
Utilities	133.73	+1.19
Miscellaneous	122.88	+1.54

Up 14; down 3.

ALBERTA

FRIDAY

		Sales	High	Low	Close	Chg
Abacus		100	$10½	10½	10½	+½
Amalgam	P	500	125	125	125	—15
Brett		2000	2	2	2	
Can Obas		100	136	136	136	
Cap Cable		250	230	230	230	—20
Cord		650	$7	7	7	+¼
Cultus		1000	6	6	6	
Duke Min		3300	51	50	50	
Gold Lake		500	40	40	40	+ 5
Norex		500	16	16	16	— 2
Northrim		2000	105	100	100	— 2
Petroquest		300	400	400	400	+ 5
Sackville		1000	36	36	36	+ 1
Savanna		1500	68	68	68	— 2
Terra		200	400	400	400	+20
West Warner		1000	10½	10½	10½	+½

Total sales: 15,000.

MUTUAL FUNDS

FRIDAY

TORONTO (CP)—Recent prices of mutual funds supplied by The Canadian Mutual Funds Association Friday. They are the net asset value per share or unit (NAVPS) last calculated by the fund in accordance with its pricing practice as contained in the prospectus of the fund. n—no sales charge, x—U.S. Fund, y—delayed NAVPS, xd—ex-dividend

CMPA Members	
AGF Group	
Amer Grwth	4.08
Cdn Gs Egy	10.97
Cdn Sec Gth	4.64
Cdn Trusteed	4.32
Corp Invest	4.94
Corp Inv Stk	4.24
Gwth Equity	5.10
Japan	6.77
Special	2.38
All Canadian Gr	
Compound	5.18
Dividend	5.31
Northrn Egy	3.09
Revenue Gth	3.85
Venture	2.64
4000	3.65
Calvin Bullock Gr	
Acrofund	1.02
CIF	4.17
Eaton Group	
Commwth	13.04
Growth	8.27
Income	4.36
Internatnl	5.70
Leverage	3.33
Venture	2.77
Viking	4.92
Guardian Group	
Enterprise	.79
GIS Comp	7.81
nGIS Income	2.44
yGrowth Fnd	7.23
North Amer	2.95
Mutual Acu	5.25
Mutual Inc	4.29
Sec Income	9.50
World Equity	5.21
Investors Group	
yGrowth	10.34
yInternatnl	4.99
yJapan	8.39
yMortgage	4.75
yMutual	4.86
yRetiremnt	5.04
yProvidt Mu	6.37
yProvidt Stk	4.61
Nat Res Gth	3.69
Planned Invest Gr	
Canada Cum	4.12
Canada Grth	5.16
Pld Resourcs	3.57
Pld Sec Inc	5.34
Taurus	3.18
Pret et Revenu Gr	
Americain	7.37
Canadien	5.82
Retraite	5.61
Prevest Mut	6.14
Prudential Gr	
Growth	5.33
Income	4.92
Savings Invest Gr	
American	7.37
Canadian	5.82
Retiremnt	5.61
United Bond Shr	
yRoyFund	5.74
yRoyFnd Inc	4.94
United Group	
yAccumula	3.72
yAccumu R	4.10
yAmerican	1.05
yHorizon	1.62
ySecurity	4.47
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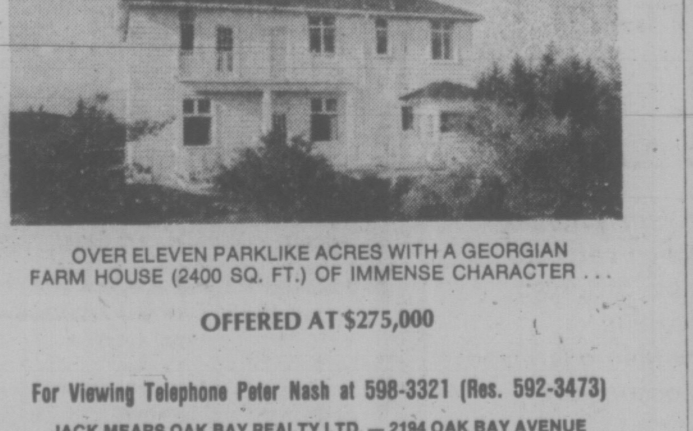

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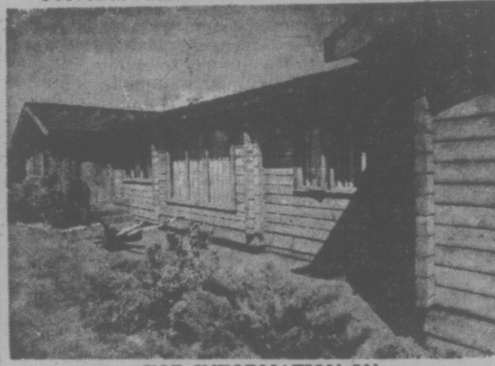

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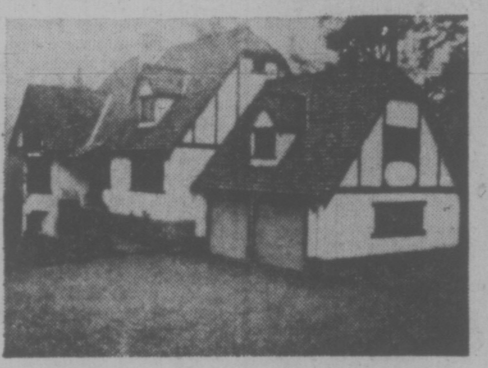

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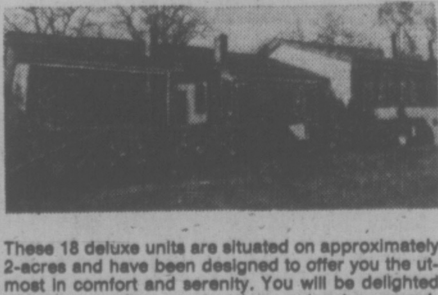

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SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — "Everybody was just hanging out their windows, screaming, trying to get out."

Randy Bates, 21, was describing the horror of a fire that killed 12 persons Friday when it roared through an apartment building whose owners had been accused of 40 code violations. Police said 100 to 125 persons were in the building at the time. They said the fire was deliberately set.

A lawyer for the owners said he believed most of the violations had been corrected.

Firemen sifted through the rubble in the city's Mission District for other possible victims, and homicide detectives speculated about the motive of the arsonist who touched off the pre-dawn blaze.

"It's hard to guess the motives — whether the arsonist intended to just destroy the building or kill people," said Police Inspector Frank Falzon. "However, since the liquid was set in the stairwell, he must have known it would trap people inside, since it provides the only exit out the front."

Falzon said the dead were seven women, four men and a baby boy. The bodies were so badly burned they have not been identified.

Fifteen persons were treated for injuries. Ten of them, including seven firemen, were admitted to hospital.

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Men to Angola Denied in U.S.

WASHINGTON (UPI) — One by one, the U.S. administration's top officials have denied that the United States was sending men to counterbalance the Communist military intervention in Angola. They were less precise about indirect efforts.

The implication, confirmed privately by administration sources, was that the rivalry between the world's superpowers is beng conducted, more or less indirectly and more or less behind the scenes, in a tiny country in Africa where three factions are involved in a civil war.

Secretary of State Henry Kissinger said Friday in Brussels: "The United States will try to prevent one party, by means of massive introduction of outside equipment, from becoming dominant." He declined to be specific, but said last week that the United States was trying to help Angola's neighbors prevent a Soviet victory.

The quote was ambiguous, but "massive introduction" presumably referred to the series of reports that up to 6,000 Cuban and Soviet troops, plus small arms and light armored vehicles, are helping the Popular Movement for the Liberation of Angola (MPLA) which proclaimed independence Nov., 11 as the last Portuguese troops left, and took control of the cpaital and mineral-rich central section of the former colony.

Simultaneously, the National Front for the Liberation of Angola (FNLA) and the National Union for the Total Independence of Angola (UNITA) declared independence and temporarily joined forces to fight the MPLA. China, the United States and Zaire are supporting the FNLA while intelligence sources say South Africa has sent troops to help UNITA.

15 ROUNDED UP IN DRUG HAUL

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla. (AP) — Agents in five states began rounding up 15 persons Friday charged in a drug smuggling operation linked to the discovery of 43 tons of marijuana, the largest seizure in history, the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) said.

The 15 men were indicted here by a federal grand jury investigating the Aug. 15 seizure on an island in the Bahamas. The marijuana was valued at $26 million.

The names of most of the 15 persons being arrested in Florida, Texas, California, Kentucky and Hawaii were being withheld, a DEA spokesman said.

The indictment accuses the 15 of conspiring with Earl Jordon, 46, of Pompano Beach, Fla., who was killed along with his son, Michael, 22, in the crash of a twin-engine plane Nov. 29 in Boca Raton.

A DEA spokesman said a breakthrough in the investigation came July 3 when a DC-3 aircraft was followed by authorities to an airport at Palatka, Fla., where five men were arrested and 5,000 pounds of marijuana were seized.

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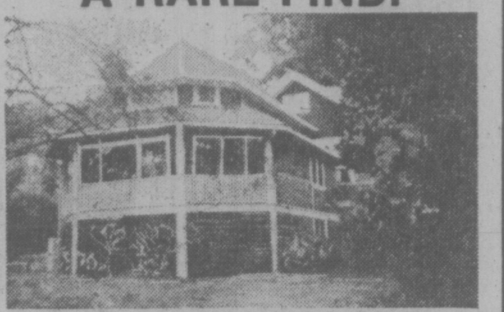

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Officially, authorities say they are searching for the body of Armand Faugno, a reputed small-time loanshark and Teamster associate who has been missing for over a year. But federal sources close to the Hoffa investigation say Hoffa may be buried there.

An FBI spokesman in Newark said Friday night agents had not begun to dig at the site and declined further comment on the investigation. Law enforcement sources said agents would not act unless they got orders to dig from the justice department.

THREE GUILTY IN SUGAR BILK

LOS ANGELES (UPI) — Three men were found guilty and three others acquitted Friday on charges involving a nation-wide sugar fraud that reportedly bilked financial institutions and investors out of nearly $1 million last year.

The six were accused of operating under the names of six allegedly sham companies claiming to have $250 million but actually possessing no financial assets.

The firm, all purportedly based in New York, attempted to sell sugar and other commodities to investors.

Boston Youths Invade School

BOSTON (UPI) — A crowd of 200 youths set trash fires outside and broke into racially troubled South Boston High School early today to protest tightened federal control of the school.

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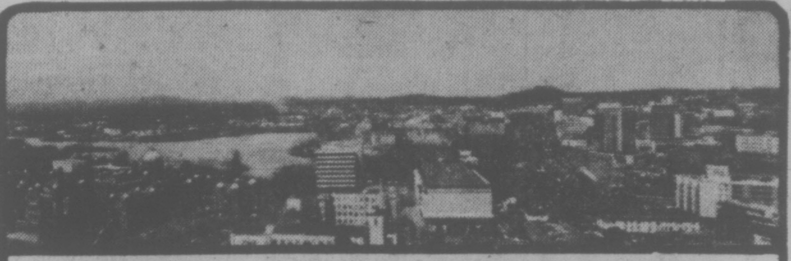

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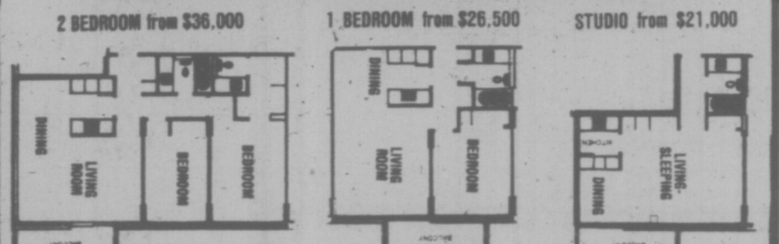

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He said many communities have been short of food for over two weeks.

"But this voyage is not to be taken as a guarantee that service will be reinstated," New added.

Coast Ferries had suspended its weekly freight service on Dec. 1 to more than 100 isolated communities dotted along the coast, saying the service is no longer economic.

The company is appealing to the federal government for a subsidy to operate the service.

Jack Pearsall, Liberal MP for Coast-Chilcotin, said the matter is still before the federal treasury board.

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VANCOUVER (CP) — A mother of two children was awarded $106,000 damages in British Columbia Supreme Court Friday for the death of her husband in an airplane crash in 1972.

Lorna Jean Wright was awarded judgment against Donald Mueller, found negligent by Mr. Justice E. E. Hinkson in the crash of a Piper Apache aircraft at Hedrick Lake, a short flight from Prince George.

Wright, 28, of Duncan, was killed in the crash on July 7, 1972.

Mr. Justice Hinkson found Mueller negligent in failing to apply power immediately when caught in a down-draft while coming in for a landing.

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Pair Sentenced For Burning Home

KAMLOOPS (CP) — A Kamloops man was sentenced to a year in prison and his wife was fined $500 and put on a year's probation Friday for burning down their home Nov. 30, 1974.

William and Elaine Palfenier were sentenced in county court here by Judge Donald Macdonald. They were found guilty of attempted arson Dec. 4.

The Palfeniers were convicted in connection with the fire that destroyed their home one day before a $17,435-payment was due on it.

Prosecution maintained they were preparing to set the house on fire with gasoline which caught fire prematurely, burning Palfenier.

The original charge of arson was reduced to attempted arson.

VANCOUVER (CP) — Federal Fisheries Minister Romeo Leblanc announced Friday that his department has asked two East German vessels to stop fishing for herring off Vancouver Island.

Leblanc said in a news release that the fisheries patrol ship Tanu located the vessels approximately eight miles outside of Canada's 12-mile limit but inside an area where other foreign fleets have refrained from fishing.

He said that "Pacific herring have been under strict conservation restrictions by Canada in an effort to rebuild seriously depleted stocks."

VANCOUVER (CP) — The British Columbia Labor Relations Board Thursday issued an order that the building trades unions stop picketing the Sandman Inn project in downtown Vancouver.

The order, based on a decision by the board vice-chairman, John Baigent, presumably will permit the owners to complete the first major, non-union project in the downtown area in history.

The owners of the 15-storey project include Bob Gaglardi, son of former Social Credit cabinet minister Phil Gaglardi.

Baigent's decision said the picketing was not meant as a message to the workers to get organized but "a punishment to an employer and an attempt to bring him to his knees."

The vice-chairman said the board had not moved quickly in the case—it began in December, 1974—because the conduct of the employer "has on occasion been reprehensible."

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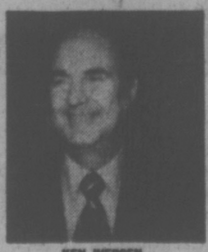
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Salute to the Architect, Our Forgotten Artist

By PETER MURRAY

THE ARCHITECTURE OF ARTHUR ERICKSON. Tundra Books. Distributed by Collins. $35.

In a world obsessed with speed and utility, architecture has become one of the most under-valued of art forms. That's not to deny that architects still rank high on the professional earnings list and that a Frenchman (why a foreigner?) is being paid a king's ransom for designing Montreal's Olympic facilities. But most of us, condemned to live in stucco boxes and work in chickenshed office buildings, have little daily contact with the beauty and nobility of architecture. We're all poorer in spirit for that lack.

Because it is a new country with extreme regional differences in climate and landscape, Canada has not produced a distinctive national style of architecture. But there is a flourishing "west coast school" centred in Vancouver and the country has two architects who have achieved world renown—Moshe Safdie and Arthur Erickson. Although few of our artists in other fields have achieved such recognition abroad, these two names or their work are still largely unknown to most Canadians.

Someone trying to remedy this situation is publisher May Cutler of Montreal's small but prestigious Tundra Books, who has issued two works on Safdie and, most recently, a lavish celebration of the achievements of Arthur Erickson of Vancouver.

For Everyone a Garden is a summing up of Safdie's visionary approach to architecture, of his unsatisfied quest for new technology and forms that will help meet the unending global demand for pleasing, mass-produced housing. It includes drawings and photographs of models of projects designed for such far-flung places as Puerto Rico and Jerusalem, and of course Montreal's Habitat, his pioneering work.

Of primary interest to architects and planners, that book also contains enough imaginative Safdie theories, which made the earlier Behond Habitat such an intriguing book, to hold the interest of the layman.

If the two Safdie books represent the architect as idealist and propagandist, The Architecutre of Arthur Erickson salutes the architect as artist and aesthete.

Erickson states his creed in the introduction. "As the mechanization of life and man proceeds on its relentless course, we need to reaffirm that which the machines would atrophy in us — the human spirit."

The more socially conscious architects argue that basic shelter needs must be met before the needs of the spirit are considered, and Erickson has been the target of criticism by the activists for some of his fripperies such as the Expo 67 and 70 pavilions.

The best architects combine both approaches in their work, but the profession must also have room for Erickson's magnificent excesses.

It is Erickson's soaring imagination and flawless visual sense that set him apart from his workaday colleagues.

The Simon Fraser University campus, featured on the cover of the book and detailed inside in a series of stunningly dramatic photographs, was Erickson's first major project and is still the most typical representation of his architecture.

Daring in concept and grand in design, it is an awe-inspiring edifice. How well it functions as a university is more controversial. Students and faculty have complained that the campus is a monument to the architect that ignores their requirements.

But what faults there are should be blamed not only on Erickson, but more fairly on the university administrators who advised him, often in haste, during the design stage.

In any case, grousing is inevitable in the creation of an "instant university" as Simon Fraser was. But what cold, drenched UVic or UBC student, scuttling from class to class in the December rain, would not trade places with his Simon Fraser counterpart?

If climate was a key consideration in the design of Simon Fraser, it is even more so in Erickson's plan for Lethbridge University, a strikingly austere monolith nestled on a bald coulee just outside the Alberta city.

Says Erickson: "Lethbridge was based on a principal similar to that of Simon Fraser University — belief in the intrinsic unity of the body of knowledge — except where Simon Fraser turned outward, Lethbridge turned inward, because of the severe climate of the prairie."

Erickson's Graham House near Horseshoe Bay

The book features seven Erickson houses — four in West Vancouver, one in the Okanagan, one in Ontario and the early Filberg house near Comox. All were commissioned by wealthy clients and have little in common with the bungalow next door.

But they do embody, on a grand scale, most of the unique features of west coast residential architecture, of which Erickson is the pacesetter — imaginative use of the rocky, treed landscape; much glass to bring in light from the grey skies and reflected off the sea; and heavy emphasis on the special building materials of the area, particularly fir and red cedar.

Erickson says light is the ultimate determinant of design and has been "a consuming preoccupation with me."

"There is no end to the possibilities of light — for it is the source of magic in architecture."

Nowhere has he indulged this passion for light more than in the Canadian government pavilion for Expo 70 in Osaka, which concludes the book on a gay and colorful note. This is the structure sheathed in mirrors which reflect the sky and seems at times to disappear before the viewer's eyes. As Erickson says, it is "a paean to the magic of color and light."

In a biographical sketch introducing the book Erickson tells of his early interest in art, particularly Japanese, which has had a continuing influence on his work.

Finally, the photographs, typography and layout of the book are exquisite — the perfect match for the architecture of Arthur Erickson.

Throwing Light On Dark Subject

By PAT BARCLAY

I once knew a Danish woman who travelled frequently between her parents' home in Denmark and her own adopted home in Canada. "Which way do you prefer to travel," I asked her one day, "by plane or by boat?"

Her reply was interesting. "I'd just as soon go back to Denmark by boat, because it takes me so long to catch up on my sleep after the plane trip that the time I can actually spend visiting is about the same. And then of course I get to enjoy all the pleasures of travelling by boat as well."

Although I doubt whether most North American travellers would agree with her, locked into speed-makes-efficiency thinking as we are, her point is well taken. And a recent book by Dr. James Paupst of Toronto states flatly that "Researchers now know that the one human element that cannot be tampered with for a long time is the biological clock. If you tamper with it, the clock will win . . . The trip from London to Toronto, for instance, involving only a five-hour time change, can give the body trouble in its sleep patterns for a week."

The Sleep Book, which Dr. Paupst wrote in collaboration with free-lance writer Toni Robinson, is a fascinating and readable collection of information about our sleeping habits and the research being done on them. Unfortunately the organization of the book is no match for the material it contains; the text tends to repeat itself, scatter related facts over too many pages and be annoyingly vague about the details of Dr. Paupst's own research. An index, which would have assisted the serious reader no end, is conspicuous by its absence. Nevertheless, The Sleep Book is still a worthwhile publication. It told me several things I didn't know about my own pattern of sleep, and it provided a fund of memorable anecdotes and quotes. Here are a few examples:

"King Louis XIV of France, who never did things by halves, had 413 beds, because he could not bear hot pillows and sheets. Benjamin Franklin shared this aversion, but dealt with it more modestly; he had four beds in his room, and he rotated so much that his wife complained she could never find him in the dark."

"If you can't sleep try lying on the end of the bed — then you might drop off." (Mark Twain.)

"Charles Dickens carried a compass on his journey across the United States and Canada so that he could make sure his head was facing north. He had a sleep theory that if you crossed the magnetic forces between the poles, sleep was impossible. Well, he was a good novelist."

"An English baronet had a dream that (the Titanic) was going to be struck by an iceberg. He was scoffed at, and even though his warnings got in the papers, they were not heeded. When the Titanic went down, he committed suicide."

"On average we all spend 20 years of our lives sleeping."

"According to researchers, over 40% of all American women sleep in the nude. Only 25% of men sleep nude . . ."

"Dr. Marcel Monnier of Basle University has found that when blood is taken from sleeping rabbits, filtered, and then injected into rabbits that are awake, the second group of rabbits will promptly fall asleep."

Well, obviously I can't go on quoting Dr. Paupst forever, much as I'd like to. The last excerpt about the rabbits, for example, shows just how exciting sleep research has become. Whether tired brains manufacture sleep-inducing chemicals, whether sunspots have a direct bearing on accident rates, whether we can train ourselves to think creatively while we sleep — all these questions and many more have become the subject of intensive research in recent years.

Formerly, according to Dr. Paupst, scientists and psychologists concentrated their research on the incidence and interpretation of dreams, with the result that most laymen believe the interpretation of dreams to be beyond their capabilities. Not so, says Dr. Paupst, dreams are "your own precious opportunity to view what is bubbling under the surface", and he later describes how each layman can set about uncorking his personal supply of bubbly.

Other sections discuss the relationship between good sex and sleep (it's intimate), the use of drugs and alcohol to promote sleep (they're harmful), the importance of common "sleep rituals" (such as washing, eating, reading, listening to music, sex, prayer or meditation and even scratching), research into biofeedback and bio-rhythms (men have cycles too), and what to do about heavy snoring (see your doctor) and insomnia (see the appendices at the back of the book).

The Sleep Book convinced me of its relevance to the general public very early on. It even persuaded me to stop laughing at a newspaper story I read not long ago, which stated that the results of a survey indicated that over 90 per cent of men listed their most pleasurable activity as sex, whereas 90 per cent of the women surveyed chose sleep.

Read The Sleep Book and you're sure to find it useful too. It's sleep-inducing in the very best of senses.

THE SLEEP BOOK, by Dr. James C. Paupst. Macmillan. $5.95.

Dumont at Fort Assiniboine, 1885

books
PETER MURRAY-EDITOR

Rebel of Plains Unlikely Hero

By JAMES McCOOK

GABRIEL DUMONT: The Metis Chief and His Lost World, by George Woodcock. Hurtig. $8.95.

George Woodcock presents an argument that there are probably only two men in Canadian history who might fit the pattern of hero in the high romantic vein. One is Dr. Norman Bethune, venerated as a hero in China, not in Canada. The other is Gabriel Dumont, the military leader for Louis Riel in the Northwest Rebellion of 1885, the subject of this latest Woodcock book.

Leaving aside the question of whether a rebel who led formidable forces against police and troops is entitled to be called "hero" as if he were Billy Bishop, VC, Woodcock's discussion of what Canadians admire is of interest.

Dumont, as leader of the buffalo hunt, deadly antagonist of the Sioux in vicious battles, competent guerrilla fighter facing the slow government forces in the rebellion and eventually, circus marksman with an American Wild West show, had the qualities of a folk or frontier hero which would have given him a legendary status in the United States.

But not in Canada. It is about Louis Riel the martyr, not Dumont the hero, that plays have been proliferating (including one by Woodcock) on stage, television and radio. Woodcock thinks that Canadians have ceased to live in the hero's simple black-and-white world and are embarrassed by the unspoken demand that they imitate the strengths and virtues of heroes. Riel was not simple. He was devious and ambiguous and Woodcock suggests that he belonged to a world like our own instead of the frontier society which admired Dumont.

Of Riel, Woodcock comments:

"He seems the personification of a besieged minority, and most Canadians see themselves as members of besieged minorities. He is a victim and most modern men (not Canadians only, by any means) gain satisfaction from seeing themselves as victims. Even more important, Riel is the kind of victim who enables others to enjoy the role vicariously: the sacrificial victim who really dies . . ."

Woodcock there makes pretty large assumptions about what Canadians feel.

In 1885 there were many Canadians who believed Riel deserved the gallows and would have hanged Dumont alongside him if he could have been caught. The murder of settlers, the burning of homesteads and the risk that thousands of Indians would be emboldened to massacre have not been forgotten in 90 years, especially by the descendants of those who faced danger on the Saskatchewan.

Woodcock tells in his usual eloquent way the story of Dumont, the warrior of the plains who might have killed many more soldiers, policemen and settlers if he had not been so loyal to Riel. He obeyed that vacillating personality and therefore fought the campaign less effectively than he might.

If he had waited in Saskatchewan with Riel instead of fleeing to the United States, Dumont might have been a playwright's delight in Canada, too. But he had too much sense to linger when the battle was plainly lost. He was a shrewd man of action, not the stuff of which romantic poems and plays are made after the fighting — and the hanging.

Price Paid for Frontier Triumph

GRASSLAND SETTLERS, by Don C. McGowan. Canadian Plains Research Centre, Regina. $5.50.

To assist the study and understanding of the region, the University of Regina Canadian Plains Research Centre publishes studies of particular interest to prairie people. The grassland settlers, whose achievements are reviewed in this book, prospered, suffered and endured in the Swift Current and adjoining area where James Woods bagged 90 ducks in one day and ranchers lost almost two-thirds of their stocks in the hard winter of 1906-07.

Swift Current knew range personalities who tended to be dramatic, such as Sir John Lister-Kaye who started large-scale agricultural development in 1884 and gave the region foundation stocks of good cattle, hogs and sheep and pioneered large-scale cultivation programs. In one deal he acquired 10 land blocks of 10,000 acres each from the CPR and the Dominion government. If his backers in Britain had been a little more confident and given him more time his big gambles might have been more successful. He was the type of man who would quickly buy 5,000 American range cattle and 300 pedigreed English rams for rangeland farms he managed.

He took chances. With little knowledge of grain-growing, he had land broken with plows from Scotland which left the sod furrows high in the air and, without bothering to backset the sod, as was usual, he had seed scattered on the quick-drying sods. Heavy rainfall in May of that year of 1889 allowed the seed to germinate. When drought followed, the shoots began to wither and Sir John imported 44 watering carts from Winnipeg to irrigate these immense fields. Fortunately rain came and the carts were "retired." In dry years nothing could save the crops.

Sir John, among his other projects, decided to build a creamery and cheese factory to make use of milk produced by 500 cows on farms. Range cattle do not make patient milk cows. His harried employees drove the cows into chutes, tied them with ropes and tried to milk them. It did not work. The plan to have Swift Current the dairy capital of the North-west Territories faded out like other Lister-Kaye programs.

Swift Current was given a great lift in 1885 by being made a supply headquarters in the Riel Rebellion. Suddenly it was crowded with 500 untried soldiers, 200 teamsters and 500 horses. When a military column moved off towards Battleford it had 745 people in all.

From the sale of buffalo bones and gainful employment in military transport in the rebellion, several residents did well enough in the 1880s. But those who depended on the land — the settlers, halfbreeds and Indians — never had life easy in the years to the spring of 1907 covered by this book. Whatever the triumphs of frontier development they were bought at the cost of displacement of native people and many of the early ranchers. As for the buffalo and other wild creatures that graced the plains, they were almost extinguished. — J.M.

Robust Story of a Tough Trade

By ARTHUR MAYSE

HISTORY OF LOGGING IN BRITISH COLUMBIA, by Ed Gould. Hancock House. $14.95.

In a province where lumber is king, surprisingly few writers have paid more than superficial atttention to logging and the logger. Now comes able chronicler Ed Gould of Victoria to let daylight into the swamp.

Gould's large and handsome book offers more than interesting reading.

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Long before 1778, when English explorer Captain Cook set his men to felling Douglas firs to replace damaged masts and spars, the Haida Indians of the Queen Charlottes were fashioning sea-going dugout canoes from giant cedars. British Columbia's first skidroads, Gould suggests, may have been the log roads over which the partially-completed canoes were dragged from woods to beach.

Although the author spares a chapter for sawmills, the bulk of his robust reporting goes to the woods operation and its development from the bull team days of a century ago to the machine-dominated present. Along the way, Gould enriches his mix with tales of the men who reduced tall trees to logs, and hustled those logs to the saltchuck.

City readers will appreciate the glossary of woods terms supplied, as well as the photographs that pace B.C. logging through all its phases.

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Tanzania Denies U.S. Charges

UNITED NATIONS (AP)—Tanzania's ambassador to the United Nations has denied United States charges that Cuban troops are based in the East African country. "These are outright malicious fabrications," Ambassador Salim Salim said in a statement Friday.

Why Stop Work at Only 84 Years Old?

HANOVER, Ont. (CP) — After 71 years working with the same weekly newspaper, Robert (Bert) Scarborough still is working there and he says he may work another 10 years if he is in good health.

"Why stop work when there is work to do and you are only 84?" Bert, who started with Hanover Post Nov. 27, 1905, says. He has no plans to retire. He now works four hours a day.

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5-piece set of Phillips No. 1 and No. 2, square No. 1 and No. 2, ¼" slot. Cadmium plated.

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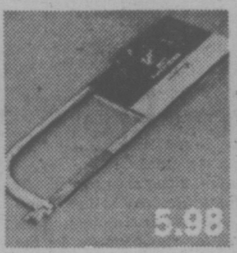

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Kit includes No. 260 tool plus more than 30 accessories in a handy storage case. So many uses around the home.

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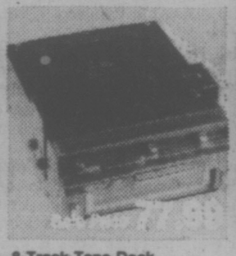

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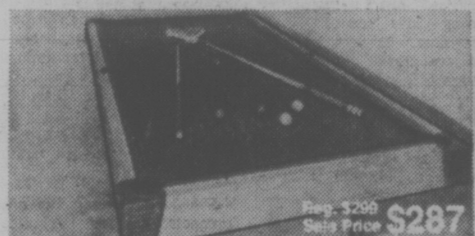

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Gendron Snooker Table
Table and accessories for family fun. Complete with 2 cues, snooker balls, cue rest rack and chalk. Table features 8 stabilizers under the bed to give you a true roll. Standard 4'x8' size.

Reg. 6.50 Sale Price 4.99

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The new way to care for ski boots. Durable plastic construction sized to fit most boots.

Everyday Low Price 15.99

Ski Gloves
Keep you hands nice and warm with these foam-filled ski gloves. All leather in assorted styles and colours. Men's and women's sizes.

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"Topflite" golf balls — the leading distance balls with durable, cut resistant covers. Stock up now.

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Great for jogging, winter tennis or just exercising, this nylon suit features full zipper front jacket and tapered leg pants. In navy, royal blue or red, sizes small, medium, large or extra-large.

Sale Price 16.98

Addidas 'Montreal' Shoes
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You'll be warm and cosy in this sleeping bag with nylon outer and cotton sailcloth liner. Dacron polyester filling makes it lightweight and warm. Complete with carry case. In blue or red. Come in soon.

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Reg. 11.98 Sale Price 9.99

"Oscar" Put Return
Electric practice golf putting devise with automatic ball return. Designed for indoor use on carpets. CSA approved.

Reg. 27.95 Sale Price 21.99

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A handy addition for your games room, this rack holds complete set of balls, 6 cues and features blackboard, chalk and scorekeeper. In attractive walnut finish.

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Addidas Tennis Bag
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Addidas Hockey Kit Bag
Great for keeping all your gear organized, this sturdy nylon bag is really roomy. Choose from an assortment of colours.

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Yonex Badminton Racket
Lightweight aluminum racket with durable nylon strings. A super gift idea for novice and expert players.

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Hudson's Bay Company

Pure Water, Recreation— 'It's Too Costly for Both'

By PAUL MOSS
Times Staff

A soft-sell "commercial" commissioned by the Greater Victoria Water Board at a cost of $25,000 will soon start spreading the message through the community that residents can either have pure water or recreational use of the watershed lands — but not both.

At least, not without the high cost of a treatment plant.

The 24-minute color film entitled Water, Life to a City, produced by Victoria filmmaker Wilf Gray, received a warm reception when it was shown for the first time Friday to board members.

Chairman Mayor Peter Pollen said it would be a useful means of informing schools and the public generally about the resource, its vital role in the community and the importance of protecting it against contamination.

The film is apparently intended to counter the arguments advanced over the years by various strong lobby groups, including fish and game clubs, that the Sooke watershed lands which supply Greater Victoria's drinking water should be opened to recreational use.

Its commentary points out that recreation and pure water are incompatible without costly investment in treatment plant, because opening the watershed lands to hikers and others would raise the possibility of fecal contamination, forest fires and other hazards.

Shots of clear, tinkling streams are contrasted with clips showing the massive plant needed to purify the drinking water used by the city of Calgary.

The film includes spectacular aerial views of Sooke Lake, Victoria and the Inner Harbor. And this was one of the aspects which had Pollen a little worried.

He wondered aloud, jokingly, whether it showed the area in such an attractive light that it would encourage yet more people to settle here.

The board asked Water Commissioner Ron Upward to recommend how many extra prints of the film would be needed, at about $240 per print, to ensure adequate circulation through schools, libraries and community groups.

Bawlf Foresees More Power To Councils

An Inner Harbor planning role will be returned to the city of Victoria under the Social Credit government, and there may be some changes to streamline the operation of the Princess Marguerite, Victoria MLA-elect Sam Bawlf said today.

Bawlf said it will be the general philosophy of Bill Bennett's government to return more autonomy to local government in the province, and that will be especially important in the case of the capital city's waterfront, where the previous government had trampled on city jurisdiction.

"As far as the Inner Harbor is concerned we really should have more input from the duly elected civic representatives and their planning processes than was the case under the latter government," he said.

"They are closer to the people and better able to express the aspirations of the community in a comprehensive way."

Bawlf warned, however, that as B.C.'s economy is far from being a "bottomless pit" the city shouldn't count on a major spending spree in the development of publicly-owned lands along the Inner Harbor waterfront.

Planning and development in the area will have to be of a more gradual, evolutionary nature, he said.

Bawlf said the Princess Marguerite's management structure might be consolidated with that of the B.C. Ferries fleet to provide a common accounting and cost control system.

"We realize, of course, that she has been subsidized by the taxpayer but what we are trying to do is streamline the organization of this service and get some consolidated accounting so that we know exactly what it is costing the taxpayer."

Other changes, he said, could include extending the vessel's operating life through the winter months to provide passenger service between Victoria and Vancouver.

Bawlf is resigning his city council seat and a byelection to fill the vacancy is expected to be held in late February.

He noted that if the provincial election had been held earlier the byelection for his vacancy could have been held Nov. 15, the date of the last civic election, and taxpayers would have been saved some money.

City clerk Morran Waller estimated byelection costs would amount to about $5,000, including $2,300 for the preparation of a new voters' list.

To allow the maximum time possible for preparations he said he'll recommend that council set the date for nominations at 45 days after the receipt of Bawlf's resignation.

Boater Saved After Blast

A Salt Spring Island man was rushed to Rest Haven Hospital in Sidney Friday after his boat exploded and sank in Satellite Channel.

Don Smith of Ganges was aboard his power cruiser, Renegade 1 Friday afternoon when the boat was wracked by an explosion and Smith thrown into the water near Moses Point.

A hospital spokesman reported later that Smith was in satisfactory condition.

CITY POLICE MAKE PINCH IN A TRICE

It took just three minutes Friday for city police to wrap up a car theft report.

A woman phoned the Fisgard Street station at 10:57 a.m. to say her car was missing "in the last few minutes" from its parking place on Bay Street.

Const. Peter Lawson, driving a police car on Quadra, had just finished noting the description radioed by the dispatcher when he saw a similar car pass. He turned around, stopped the driver and radioed completion of the incident before 11 a.m.

Richard Noel Steeds, 17, of 798 Suffolk, was charged with car theft in Victoria provincial court Friday afternoon. He was remanded in custody for a bail hearing Monday.

Hi Ho Silver! Pollen Exits

Almost as much silverware as you'd find in the average jeweler's was being flashed around the aldermen's lounge at City Hall after one city council meeting this week.

It was the last meeting chaired by Mayor Peter Pollen before he quits the job next week after four years.

On behalf of council and the city, his successor, mayor-elect Ald. Mike Young, presented him with a handsome sterling silver water pitcher.

Young said council members hadn't always agreed with Pollen but had always held him in high esteem. He predicted Pollen would be "put back into harness" in some capacity after he returned from two months' well-earned holiday.

Retiring aldermen Clyde Savage, who with only one year's break has served on council since 1965, and Malcolm Anderson, also received mementoes in recognition of their service.

In addition, Pollen presented individually to all members of council and to city manager Jim Bramley silver cigarette boxes bearing the inscription: "With fond remembrance of things past, with best wishes for the future."

And earlier, before the council meeting, Pollen had presented a silver cigar box to Joe Cunliffe, retiring chairman of the city's Advisory Planning Commission, who has served on the APC for 11 years.

—John McKay photo

SCOUT TREES are unloaded today by Bill Lawrence, left, assisted by Wieber Blaanstra.

Christmas Tree Prices Static

With the price of everything from turkey and all the trimmings to holiday spirits up over last year, it's nice to find at least one Christmas essential that's stayed the same.

Christmas trees, from any of the myriad lots that have sprung up in Victoria in the last week, are still selling at between $1 and $1.50 a foot — the same as last year.

There are lots to choose from, from the littlest spindly pine, to a giant, seven-foot white spruce.

Ken McFayden, who has set up his lot on Saanich Road just off Douglas, expects to sell more than 700 trees this season.

McFayden cuts the trees from his property in Courtenay and trucks his selection to Victoria where he lives in a rented trailer until the last one is sold the day or so before Christmas.

His trees sell for an average of $1 a foot, a bit more if the tree is especially bushy and a bit less if it's a little lean.

Don Thompson sells his trees from a former body shop lot on Douglas north of Hillside and says if the good weather holds this should be a good year. People apparently don't like to go Christmas tree shopping in the rain.

He gets his trees from his brother's tree farm in Shawnigan, buys a regular business licence from the city and sets up shop.

The 1st Douglas Boy scouts have set up their regular tree lot on Cloverdale again and are selling the trees for about $1 a foot too, but "we'll negotiate," says Bill Lawrence, chairman of the scouts committee who spent this morning unloading trees.

The scouts have a "friend and business partner" in Duncan who has a tree farm. The scouts go to the farm once a year to prune the trees and then get them for what Lawrence says is a good price.

All the profits from the sales go towards boy scout activities.

Commission To Oversee Rec Centre

A growing recreation empire on the Old Island Highway has led to formation of a new commission to run it.

The Capital Regional Board has given final reading to a bylaw establishing the Juan de Fuca Recreation Commission and has also named eight residents of Colwood, Langford and Metchosin to sit on it.

The centre includes Centennial swimming pool, the adjacent park which is the former Colwood race track, ice arena, senior citizens centre and newly-completed curling rink.

The commission, which will include the regional directors for the three electoral areas, has been delegated the board's authority to equip, maintain and manage the facilities, including setting of admission charges, appointing staff, setting the operating rules and programs.

But the regional board retains the right to approve these as well as the annual budget the commission is charged with preparing.

Regional directors sitting on the new commission are Earl Pallister for Langford, Dick Emery for Colwood and J. M. (Mac) Tipton for Metchosin.

With Emery retiring from the board at the end of the year, newly-elected director Howard Drummond will take his place.

The board has appointed Mrs. Audrey Davison and Paul Hansen of Langford, Garnet States of Colwood and E. J. Phillips of Metchosin to the commission for one-year terms.

Appointed for two-year terms are John McIllree of Langford, Donald Milton of Colwood and John Buchanan of Metchosin.

'Wild' Shoppers Create Yule Gift Survey Snafu

Oh, why do we do it?

You know, this started out as a sort of survey. It was going to dazzle you and enlighten you as to what people are buying people this Christmas. To hell with it!

All sorts of facts and figures were going to be gleaned on an expedition, a trek into the wild world of Victoria Christmas shopping. But no thanks. One look at that traffic, at those drivers determined to wedge their huge cars into parking spaces far too small for them; at all those shoppers staring straight ahead, marching with great purpose, was too much for me. Wild is the operative word.

The trouble is, as well as being a bit of a coward when it comes to facing crowds, I'm not a very good shopper. In fact, I'm a very bad shopper. I go into stores and just sort of gaze at things and leave a little while later clutching one of the things after having been assured: "Oh yes, the Little Lady will just love it . . ." And, of course, the "Little Lady" doesn't just love it. She just hates it, as is evidenced by the number of trips which have to be made to exchange things once the decorations have come down and the tree has been tossed out of the window.

For the last three Christmases I have bravely battled the hordes and proudly taken home a housecoat to surprise my wife. And each time it has ended up back in the store. That's it! No more housecoats.

I have to admit, though, it's fun sitting with half-closed eyes long before the curtain of darkness has lifted outside, opening presents on Christmas morning. And it's rewarding to see the joy in small faces — and sometimes in big faces, too — as the wrapping paper comes off.

If you are interested in my abortive survey, I did discover that one of the hottest-selling items this Christmas is the calculator. Now permitted in certain grades in the schools, the calculator, say the salesmen, has become extremely popular with everyone — children, housewives and businessmen.

Merchandise manager Jack Mitchell says Simpsons-Sears are selling between 200 and 300 calculators, ranging in price from $10.99 to $50, a week and having trouble keeping up with the demand.

I won't be too sad, though, if there isn't a calculator under the tree for me. I'm not really a calculator man. I don't have much to calculate. And besides, I hate calculating. Whatever happened to fingers, anyway?

What I did find that I liked (and probably won't get under the tree, either) was a pair of long white knitted socks in Woodward's. On each foot was Mickey Mouse, resplendent in Santa outfit and surrounded by holly and ribbons, and the words Happy Holidays. They would make my day.

Whatever your fancy when it comes to buying presents this year, it appears that you're buying more — or at least you're spending more money on the ones you are buying. That's what the people in the stores say, anyway.

Despite the words of doom from Ottawa, the wage and price controls, the talk of recession, of inflation and other frightening things, shoppers in Victoria are spending more this Christmas.

In November, retail sales were up 20 per cent in the city from November last year, a study by Canada Manpower the politicians forecast a grim year of belt-tightening ahead. The British people responded by dashing out and buying everything in sight. It was a record spending-spree Christmas.

Now, don't get me wrong. I'm not preaching or practising anything. I'll probably spend more this Christmas than I ever have (even without the housecoat).

But why do we do it? Why don't we heed the warnings?

Perhaps you can't answer this. And perhaps I can't. But I think Len Laudadio, chairman of the economics department at the University of Victoria, makes a pretty good job of it.

Firstly, a ray of brightness in the gloom.

Laudadio thinks the economy is not in such a bad shape after all. The 7.3 per cent unemployment is not bad for Canada, he says. After all, it's been running at 9 per cent in the United States for the last two years, and they're still doing well, he points out.

And the Italian-born economist thinks the word recession is too strong. If you must, he'll call it "a minor recession" which, when related to Christmas buying, is making people more aware of quality. They're not buying so much junk.

But why are we all continuing to spend money as though it's going out of style?

Laudadio smiles.

"The Christmas feeling just overwhelms whatever economic woes there are," he says. "During the bad depression, every business suffered except the movie houses. You've got to be able to forget about the bad things.

"I think you'll find that the amount of giving, too, to charities, is far higher this year . . . just because it's Christmas," Laudadio smiles.

"There are far more important aspects that dominate people's life than economics," he explains. "Things like tradition, family feelings, religion. These are more important than economy.

"You can't buy the Christmas spirit," Laudadio adds wisely.

"Whatever the inflation in Canada — or the minor recession — it's not going to kill the Christmas spirit . . . whatever the Christmas spirit is."

Traffic Change Monday

A new traffic pattern comes into operation in the Old Town area on Monday, and city traffic chief Derek Wild today reminded all motorists and pedestrians to take special care at the changeover.

Until the spring while work is in progress installing underground services on Wharf Street, only southbound traffic will be allowed on Wharf between Yates and Government.

One lane of northbound traffic from the Causeway will be allowed onto the Government Street Mall, but it's designed only for those with a downtown destination or vehicles heading for the Johnson Street Bridge.

"Through" drivers with any other thoughts in mind will find their way barred by a traffic island at the Yates-Government intersection.

The layout in this area will also be an incentive for east-west traffic — Oak Bay to Esquimalt, for example — to use alternative routes such as Pandora Avenue for access to the Johnson Street Bridge.

Wild said the freedom from traffic on Government during the mall construction period has encouraged pedestrians to slip into free and easy habits. But from Monday they should be careful to use only designated crossing areas.

Ask The Times

Q. Can you tell me something about qualifications for the Foreign Legion?—R.R.

A. If you're thinking about joining the famous French government fighting unit, you must be between the ages of 18 and 40 and enlist for a five-year hitch. The volunteer unit refuses no man unless he's known to be a murderer. A criminal in the organization is safe from prosecution during his term of service. But the number of criminals in the unit has been exaggerated in many fictional accounts. No Frenchman can join but some get in by giving false nationalities.

Q. Are bittersweet and the woody nightshade the same plant?—O.T.

A. Yes. Bittersweet is a climbing vine which often grows about 20 feet long in moist woodlands and along the edge of ponds. It's related to the potato, tomato, the deadly nightshade and the eggplant. Bittersweet grows in temperate regions of Canada and the U.S. and its berries are poisonous. Its tiny flowers are purple, blue or white.

Send your questions to Ask the Times, 2621 Douglas Street.

They should be of general interest and deal with matters of fact.

Socred Win Dims Hallmark Hope

The change of government this week may spell bad news for the Hallmark Society and its volunteers who try to save heritage buildings for posterity, says the group's founder.

Carolyn Smyly, currently a member of the group's executive, Friday expressed discouragement on behalf of herself and others who have devoted years to their struggle for public and government support.

Social Credit objectives would not likely include heritage homes, she said.

"It's not just a few old buildings."

The long-term result of continually destroying familiar and representative landmarks in the city is a loss to all in the quality of life, she indicated.

"I'm convinced the rapid rate of change is responsible for so many of our social ills and this is just one way of saving a few landmarks so that people recognize the face of their city."

She had no illusions that the new government would be interested in such an environmental consideration in view of the economic priorities of premier-elect Bill Bennett.

Smyly said the society was on the verge of saving the former Muirhead home at 527 Esquimalt Road, which is an example of 1880s architecture.

The owner, Erick Ramage, of Bonneydoon Properties Ltd., Richmond, was co-operating with the society's efforts to interest the provincial public works department in having the house moved to a government lot in James Bay where it would blend with other houses used for government offices.

She said the department was prepared to spend money to move the house and renovate it, but the final decison was left to the eve of the election and then dropped by a senior civil servant who preferred to play cautious.

SMYLY
. . . fearful

The loss of the Muirhead house, which may be demolished after today, comes hard on the loss of a Samuel Maclure-designed home at 821 Burdett, which the Hallmark Society had hoped to have designated formally as a heritage home.

Smyly said there is now "not a chance" of either house being saved by provincial government intervention.

And she is fearful of house after house coming down in future.

"God, I get tired of losing one after another . . ." she said.

"I'm convinced with the change of government it is highly unlikely there will be the kind of legislation we've been hoping for. All our work has gone down the drain; the economic pressures now will be greater than the environmental ones. There will be superb rationalization."

She noted Ald. Sam Bawlf, the successful Social Credit candidate in the provincial election, is a supporter of heritage concepts and as a developer has retained some of the older downtown buildings for modern purposes.

"Even if Sam Bawlf went out on a limb and worked like hell, there is not a chance of saving that building" in the face of new Socred priorities, she said, referring to the Muirhead house.

The next one of significance to be demolished will be a dwelling at the southwest corner of Linden and Rockland, she predicted.

This home, now divided into 11 apartments, has a fine late Victorian style exterior, and there has been no attempt on the part of city council to designate it as a heritage structure, Smyly said.

"It is most discouraging for a volunteer group if you don't get a success once in a while. How long do you go on beating your head against a wall? You burn yourself out after a while."

Gustafson's Run Ends

It wasn't a good night for Victoria Cougars, but it could have been worse.

Stung by three power-play goals, the Cougars had to settle for a 4-4 tie with Calgary Centennials as Victoria opened a five-game Western Canada Hockey League road trip Friday in the Southern Alberta city.

In the process, Calgary put an end to the consecutive-game scoring streak of Victoria centre Jim Gustafson.

The Cougar captain had scored a point in 30 consecutive games. His streak started with the last three games of the 1974-75 season and stretched into a league record when he counted a point in each of Victoria's first 27 games this season.

Penalty problems and a shoulder injury combined to end Gustafson's run. Gustafson suffered the injury in the second period and saw little action in the final 30 minutes of Fridays game.

Trainer Gord Hahn felt the injury was nothing more than "a bad bruise" and Gustafson was expected to play against the Oil Kings in Edmonton tonight.

Penalties kept the Cougars on the defensive most of the way. Victoria took 13 of the game's 17 minor penalties.

The penalties proved costly. Gary Rissling, Rick Hodgson and Jerry Bancks scored on Calgary power-plays. Bancks fired the typing goal with 34 seconds left in regulation time.

Paul Enquist scored the other Calgary goal while Curt Fraser, Rick Durston, Lorry Gloeckner and Jeff McDill replied for Victoria.

Gloeckner scored on a penalty shot. The Victoria defenceman, a standout for the Cougars, was hauled down from behind by Hodgson after breaking into the clear with Victoria playing shorthanded.

He scored to break a 2-2 tie and McDill sent Cougars into a two-goal lead with less than 11 minutes left in the game.

Fraser, McDill and goaltender Murray Bannerman joined Gloeckner as standouts. Bannerman was tested 41 times while rival Jerry Price, had to handle only 22 shots.

In other games Friday, New Westminster Bruins took advantage of a depleted Edmonton defence to defeat the Oil Kings 7-4 and Saskatoon Blades tripped Brandon Wheat King 5-3.

Edmonton defenceman Eric Christianson was sidelined with a cut above the nose as the result of a second-period fight and Dave Morrow was ejected with a game misconduct for becoming involved in another fight.

WESTERN DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Kamloops	32	22	7	3	169	113	47
New West.	30	20	7	3	162	109	43
Medicine Hat	31	16	11	4	155	127	36
VICTORIA	28	13	11	4	120	118	30
Calgary	28	9	18	1	102	147	19
Edmonton	26	8	16	2	114	126	18

EASTERN DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Saskatoon	32	19	7	6	173	121	44
Brandon	29	12	13	4	122	116	28
Winnipeg	31	11	17	3	135	156	25
Lethbridge	31	11	18	2	127	163	24
Flin Flon	31	9	18	4	122	190	22
Regina	27	8	15	4	111	126	20

Next games: Tonight — VICTORIA at Edmonton; Regina at Medicine Hat.

VICTORIA 4, CALGARY 4.

First Period
No scoring.
Penalties: Henderson (V) 3:37; Glendinning (C) 7:49; Johnson (V) 19:19.

Second Period
1. Victoria, Fraser (12) (Heck) 5:42.
2. Calgary, Rissling (Dyer, Hodgson) 7:46.
3. Calgary, Hodgson (Dyer) 11:45.
4. Victoria, Durston (2) (Ewasiuk) 14:47.
Penalties: Anderson (V) 6:50 and 11:41, Victoria (bench minor) 11:41; Fraser (V) 15:49.

Third Period
5. Victoria, Gloeckner (4) 6:51.
6. Victoria, McDill (23) 9:57.
7. Calgary, Enquist (Wylie, Glendinning) 11:57.
8. Calgary, Bancks (Glendinning) 19:26.
Penalties — McDill (V) 1:46; McDill (V), Glendinning (C), Henderson (V) (minor, game misconduct), Rissling (C) (double minor) 4:21; Williams (V) 4:53; Fraser (V) 16:54; Anderson (V) 19:19; Gloeckner (V) 19:49; Heck (V) (misconduct) 20:00.

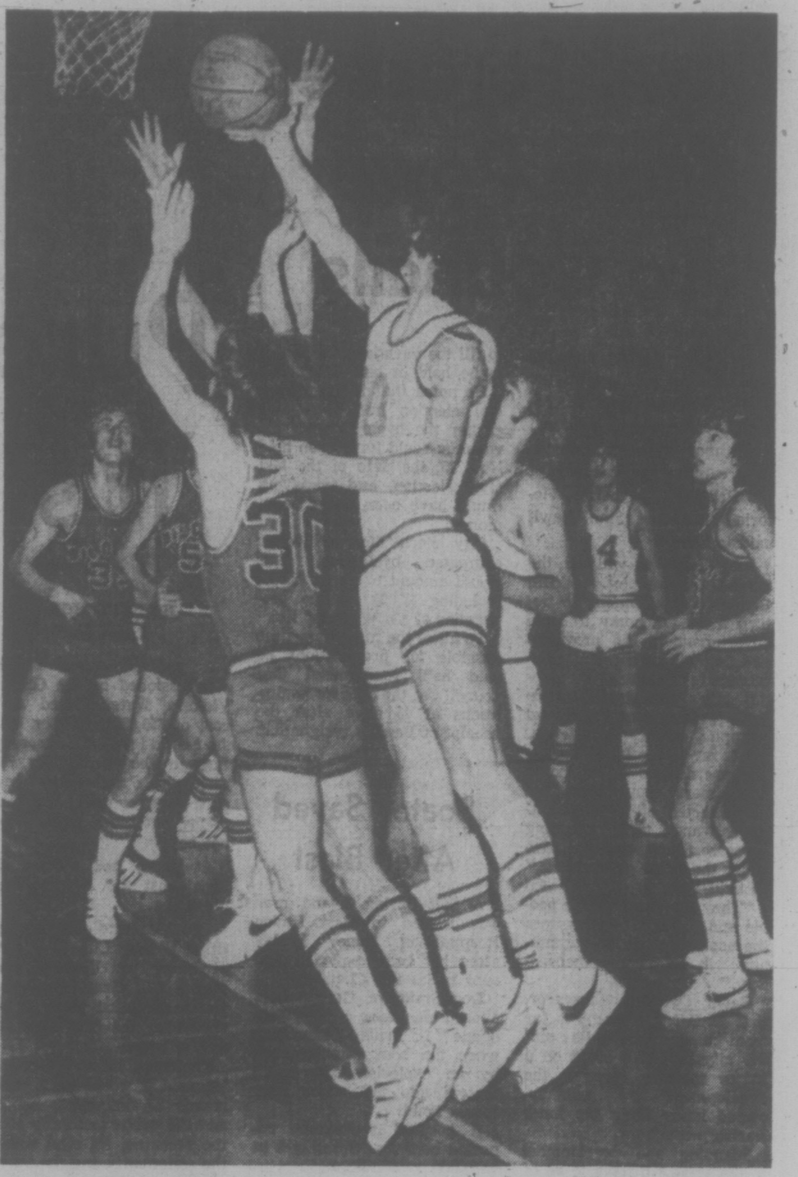
Shots on goal by:

Calgary	10	13	18—41
Victoria	9	7	6—22

Goal—Price, Calgary; Bannerman, Victoria.
Attendance—1877.

NEW WESTMINSTER (7): Harold Phillipoff 2, Rick Shinske 2, Brad Maxwell, Fred Barry, Allen Fleck. EDMONTON (4): Doug Lecuyer, Dave Morrow, Paul Mulvey, Rick Martin. Attendance: 1538.

BRANDON (3): Gerald Stoughton 2, Gord Kaluzniak. SASKATOON (5): Bernie Federko, Blair Chapman, Neil Hawryliw, Brain McGregor, Glen Leggott. Attendance: 1954.



LONG RIGHT ARM of Craig Higgins, along with short left-hand push against shoulder of Burnaby Central's Bob Markley (30), helps Oak Bay player snatch rebound during high school basketball game Friday night. Higgins scored 16 points as Bays downed Wildcats 85-44 in opening game of tournament at Mount Douglas. (Times photo by Irving Strickland.)

Games with Caps Great for Morale

ERIC VAIL
. . . taps in equalizer

By The Canadian Press

There's nothing like a game against Washington Capitals to brighten the day for a National Hockey League player.

Friday night, it was Michel Bergeron's turn.

Bergeron scored three goals for the first time in his NHL career and the Detroit Red Wings, who have trouble beating anybody else, went home from Landover, Md., with a 5-3 win over the Capitals.

A second-year professional from Sorel, Que., Bergeron scored only 10 goals last season and six this year before Friday's game. Dan Maloney added a goal and two assists for the Wings.

In Friday's other games, New York Islanders tied Atlanta Flames 3-3 and California Golden Seals dropped St. Louis Blues 5-2.

A game between Vancouver Canucks and Philadelphia Flyers was postponed because of a snowstorm that dumped 10 centimetres of snow on Vancouver. It will be played Feb. 18.

Mickey Redmond scored the Wings' other goal before a Landover crowd of 6,534 fans. Bill Clement, Nelson Pyatt and Gordon Lane scored for the Capitals, who tested Detroit goalie Ed Giacomin with only 19 shots.

Eric Vail, back in uniform for the first time after missing five weeks with a shoulder injury scored the Flames tying goal before an Atlanta crowd of 11,396 fans.

"I just tapped it in," said Vail, the National Hockey League's rookie of the year last season, of his tying goal with 23 seconds left. "It was just lying there."

Vail missed the entire training season with a shoulder separation, missed the first five games this year, played eight games, then reinjured the shoulder Nov. 7.

"They're tenacious as hell," said Atlanta coach Fred Creighton of the Islanders. "They hold, they clutch, grab, interfere.

"They don't give you a thing. Two points would have been better but the way we got the one, over the long haul, that could really help us."

The Islanders led 3-1 with just more than *six minutes* to play on goals by Bryan Trottier, Garry Howatt and Bob Nystrom. Curt Bennett and Bill Flett were Atlanta's other scorers.

Former Blue Wayne Merrick scored California's winning goal in the second period. Jim Pappin, Al MacAdam, Dennis Maruk and George Pesut. Pierre Plante and Floyd Thomson scored for St. Louis.

The win moved the Seals to within a point of third-place Toronto Maple Leafs in the Adams Division standings. California has played four more games than the Leafs.

The Leafs have a chance to give themselves some breathing room tonight when they play the Islanders at Toronto while the Seals are idle.

FIGHT-START COACH SUSPENDED BY LEAGUE

KELOWNA (CP) — Merritt Centennials coach Gary Swanson has been handed an indefinite suspension by Bryan Couling, British Columbia Junior Hockey League president, following a game in Vernon Wednesday.

Couling said the suspension was assessed because Swanson "had been sending players off the bench to deliberately start fights."

Couling also has fined the Merritt club $500 for failing to control their players. He said Swanson's suspension was to be re-assesed at a league meeting in the near future, but until the meeting is held, Swanson will not be allowed to coach the club.

Couling has also assessed a five-game suspension to Merritt player Bill Weidman for verbal abuse of officials and for "total lack of respect for league referees and linesmen."?

Surging Colts Test Dolphins

By The Associated Press

Three months ago, when the National Football League season was just starting, a fan would never have imagined that there would be any special significance to Sunday's game between Baltimore Colts and Miami Dolphins.

The Colts were coming off a sad 2-12 season and hoping only to improve. The Dolphins were proud champions of the Western Division of the American Football Conference for four successive seasons, aiming for another championship.

Now, with just two weeks left before the playoffs, the Colts and Dolphins are battling for first place.

The Miami-Baltimore showdown highlights a weekend schedule that began today with Cincinnati Bengals at Pittsburgh Stealers and Washington Redskins at Dallas Cowboys.

In Sunday's other games, Minnesota Vikings play at Detroit Lions, Houston Oilers are at Oakland Raiders, St. Louis Cardinals at Chicago Bears, San Francisco '49ers at Atlanta Falcons, Buffalo Bills at New England Patriots, Philadelphia Eagles at Denver Broncos, Kansas City Chiefs at Cleveland Browns, Green Bay Packers at Los Angeles Rams and New Orleans Saints at New York Giants.

Miami goes into Sunday's showdown one game in front of the Colts and in position to nail down its fifth successive AFC East crown with a victory.

But Baltimore is one of the hottest teams in the league with seven consecutive wins, turning around from a 1-4 start to challenge for a playoff berth. A loss, however, would eliminate the Colts from any post-season play.

'People's Boat' May Challenge

SYDNEY (AP) — An Australian "people's boat"—paid for by businesses and a national fund-raising appeal—is expected to challenge the United States for the America's Cup trophy off Newport, R.I., in 1977. Jim Hardy, who skippered Australian millionaire Alan Bond's Southern Cross in the race last year, said in Brisbane, Queensland, that planning is already under way for the new 12-metre yacht.

SPORTS MENU

TONIGHT

HOCKEY
8:30 p.m. — Big Six League, James Bay Athletic Association Canadiens vs. Lake Cowichan Lakers, Lake Cowichan Arena; London Boxing Club vs. Chemainus Blues, Fuller Lake Arena.
7 p.m. — First game in two-game, total-goal Pacific Coast playoff in Wrigley midget championship, Saanich vs. Richmond Seafair, Pearkes Arena.

BASKETBALL
6 p.m. — Dogwood Senior "A" Men's League, Victoria Scorpions vs. North Shore, Oak Bay High School.
7 p.m. — Continuation of Mt. Douglas high school boys' tournament, Mt. Douglas High School.

SUNDAY

HOCKEY
4 p.m. — Final game in two-game, total-goal Pacific Coast playoff in Wrigley midget championship, Saanich vs. Richmond Seafair, Pearkes Arena.
3 p.m. — South Island Junior "B" League, Juan de Fuca vs. Victoria, Juan de Fuca Arena.

CROSS-COUNTRY
1 p.m. — Start of seventh annual 21-mile mixed medley relay, Beacon Hill Park.

BASKETBALL
1 p.m. — Dogwood Senior "A" Men's League, Victoria Scorpions vs. North Shore, Oak Bay High School.

SOCCER
2:15 p.m. — Island League, premier division; UVic Vikings vs. London Boxing Club, UVic; Victoria West vs. Duncan, Heywood Avenue Park.
11 a.m. — Island League, premier division, Oak Bay vs. Powell River, Topaz Park.
2:15 p.m. — Island League, second division; UVic Norsemen vs. Crystal Photo, Blanshard Field; DeVinci vs. Metro, Bullen Park; Labatts vs. Prospect Lake, Beacon Hill Park (south field); Royals vs. Braves, Lambrick Park.
2:15 p.m. — Island League, third division; London Boxing Club Maroons vs. Nanaimo, Henderson Road Park; Castaways vs. London Boxing Club Whites, Carnarvon Park; Kickers vs. Oak Bay "B", Victoria West; Jaycees vs. Oak Bay "A", Reynolds Road Park; Glen Meadows vs. Duncan, Parkland High School.
2:15 p.m. — Island League, fourth division; William Head vs. International Restaurant, Beacon Hill Park (north field); DaVinci vs. Sooke, Hyacinth Park; PG Men's Wear vs. Camosun College, Colwood; Prospect Lake vs. Duncan, Prospect Lake; UVic Alumni vs. Castaways, Tyndall Avenue Park.

RUGBY
1 p.m. — Victoria Union, second division, Royal Roads vs. Cowichan, Royal Roads.

MONDAY

HOCKEY
8:15 p.m. — Big Six League, London Boxing Club vs. Victoria Western Homes Buckaroos, Memorial Arena.

BASKETBALL
7 and 8:30 p.m. — Victoria Senior "B" Men's League; Stevens Interiors vs. Victoria and District Juniors, Independents vs. London Boxing Club Juniors; Royal Oak Junior High School.

Gold and Bronze For City Skaters

REGINA — Six skaters from the Racquet Club of Victoria have earned the chance to participate in the Canadian figure skating championships as a result of their performances in the Western Divisional meet here.

Friday's performances by the Victorians included gold and bronze medals and a fourth-place finish.

The gold went to Gail Wyatt and Peter Coomes, who captured the novice pairs event, one of four finals on Friday's program.

Susan Anderson and Jerry Berry of the Racquet Club finished third in the junior dance.

Oliver and Jennifer Coomes were fourth in the novice dance final, a finish good enough to earn a trip to the nationals.

Oliver and Marla Vance finished sixth and last in the junior pairs, a talent-heavy category won by former Victorian Sharon Hallett and Rob Dick of North Vancouver.

Friday's results:

Novice Dance (Final) — 1. Martine Vigouret, Allan Atkins, North Vancouver; 2. Jan. Emerton, Doug Ladret, Vancouver; 3. Patsy Marshall, Grant Sorenson, Lethbridge; 4. Oliver and Jennifer Coomes, Victoria.

Junior Women's (Short Program) — 1. Joyce Fordyce, North Vancouver; 2. Cathie MacFarlane, Calgary; 3. Lisa Mowatt, North Vancouver.

Novice Men's Figures — 1. Doug Ladret, Vancouver; 2. Bruce Grant, Calgary; 3. Bill Petrunik, Lethbridge.

Novice Women's Figures — 1. Joan Pavelich, Richmond; 2. Ellen Bodnarik, North Vancouver; 3. Yvonne Anderson, North Vancouver.

Novice Pairs (Final) — 1. Gail Wyatt, Peter Coomes, Victoria; 2. Lori Wallin, Jan Bork, White Rock; 3. Susan and John Gowan, North Vancouver.

Junior Men's (Short Program) — 1. Ken Moir, North Vancouver; 2. Greg Bilesky, North Vancouver; 3. Ron Van Waas, Edmonton.

Junior Pairs (Final) — 1. Sharon Hallett, Rob Dick, North Vancouver; 2. Janet and Mark Homenuke, Calgary; 3. Leslie Casper, Eric Thomsen, North Vancouver.

Junior Dance (Final) — 1. Sherry Temple, Marty Fulkerth, Calgary; 2. Lori Nimis, Rodney Havens, Calgary; 3. Susan Anderson, Jerry Berry, Victoria.

Senior Women's (Short Program) — 1. Susan MacDonald, North Vancouver; 2. Deborah Paul, Edmonton; 3. Camille Rebus, Edmonton.

Senior Men's (Short Program) — 1. Ted Barton, North Vancouver; 2. Jim Szabo, North Vancouver; 3. Brian Pockar, Calgary.

Senior Dance (Original Set Pattern) — 1. Debbie and Randy Burke, Chilliwack; 2. Joanne Sloman, Greg Ladret, Vancouver.

Snow Stops Dukes; Bays Trip Wildcats

Snow that snarled travel on the mainland had its long-range effect on the annual Mt. Douglas high school boys' basketball tournament Friday.

The scheduled four-team Mt. Doug tournament was reduced to a three-team affair when Windsor Dukes were unable to reach Vancouver Island.

Scheduled to play Dukes, the host Rams wound up playing an exhibition against a hastily-assembled grad team. For the time they had to prepare, the grads recruited well. They beat the Rams 62-59 as Tom Watson fired 22 points. Bob McCue counted 17 for Rams.

In Friday's other game at Mt. Doug, Oak Bay defeated Burnaby Central Wildcats 85-44. Ken Kirzinger scored 25 points, Craig Higgins added 16 and Steve Leung counted 14 as the Bays recorded their sixth straight victory.

Two other Victoria-area tournaments were not affected, although both attracted other mainland teams.

In addition, Delta Huskies were able to keep an exhibition date with Victoria High Totems. Vic High defeated Delta 63-50 with Forest (Tree) Partington scoring 24 points and Ray Pallon and Dan Lisowski each adding 10.

Gerry Wildman fired 15 for Huskies.

At Dunsmuir, the host Demons and Parkland Panthers recorded victories. Demons, getting 28 points from Brian Grant and 22 from Rick Jeffery, downed Sardis 87-79 while Parkland edged Maple Ridge 58-52.

At Reynolds, big Jim Dunn scored 25 points as the Roadrunners thumped Burnaby Alpha 80-63 and Hope Mustangs defeated Claremont Spartans 86-69.

Eric Jones added 16 points to Dunsmuir's total.

CEPEDA CHARGED

SAN JUAN, P.R. (AP) — Former baseball star Orlando Cepeda was charged Friday with illegal importation of narcotics after officials confiscated 165 pounds of marijuana at the city's airport.

Customs agents said Cepeda, 38, and another man were arrested when they attempted to pick up the marijuana, valued at $48,000.

PRO BASKETBALL

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
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Kansas City 109, Chicago 99.
Cleveland 109, Milwaukee 91.
Buffalo 123, New York 110.
Los Angeles 114, Philadelphia 102.
Seattle 97, Detroit 95.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
San Antonio 107, Kentucky 100.
Denver 110, Virginia 107.
New York 106, St. Louis 98.

Basketball Debt

SAN DIEGO (AP) — A lawyer for San Diego Sails says the defunct American Basketball Association club owes more than $300,000 for which it has $40,000 on hand.

McLachlan, Shaw Help Gulls to Tie

The combination of Barry McLachlan's hot scoring hand and Ken Shaw's netminding played a prominent role Friday in Juan de Fuca Gulls' 5-5 tie with Esquimalt Legion in a South Island Junior "B" Hockey League game at Esquimalt Sports Centre.

McLachlan, who scored six times in his previous start, added two more goals Friday. Ron Hope also scored twice and Bob Grant added one as Gulls pulled into sole possession of fifth place.

Jim Entzmisger scored three goals for Legion while his brother John rapped in the tying goal at 18:33 of the final period. Murray Allan counted Esquimalt's other goal.

Shaw made 45 saves while Juan de Fuca netminder Brock Davies turned aside 21 shots.

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Saanich	20	17	1	2	176	61	36
Esquimalt	19	13	4	2	116	75	28
Victoria	16	10	5	1	101	68	21
Fuller Lake	20	7	12	1	95	117	15
Juan de Fuca	20	3	15	2	79	156	8
Lake Cwichn	19	3	16	0	64	154	6

Next games: Sunday — Victoria at Juan de Fuca.

Green Mountain Picture Changes

If you haven't made other plans, Green Mountain is open for skiing.

The slopes near Nanaimo were expected to be closed because of a lack of snow. All that changed Friday with a heavy snowfall.

Lifts were to be in operation today and Sunday.

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SKY HI MORSE VS. DENNIS STAMP
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SELECTS CRUSH WOLVES

SUDBURY (CP) — Moscow Selects scored the most impressive victory of their North American hockey tour with an 11-4 triumph Friday night over Sudbury Wolves.

The Wolves, Leyden Division leaders in the Ontario Hockey Association Major Junior A series, fell flat in the third period as the Selects fired six unanswered goals before 6668 spectators.

The Moscow win follows earlier decisions over Nova Scotia Voyageurs of the American Hockey League and Ottawa '67s of the OHA junior league.

The Wolves had fought back from a 4-0 first-period deficit to tie the game in the second period with four power-play goals.

Sudbury coach Jerry Toppazzini was disappointed with his team's performance especially in the third period.

"We tried to intimidate them and we got stupid penalties," he said. "We ruined a perfectly good hockey game and a perfectly good comeback."

Three of the Moscow goals in the third period were scored with Sudbury players in the penalty box.

Boris Alexandrov scored three goals to lead the Selects.

Vladimir Golikov and Vladimir Belousov added two goals each for the winners and single goals went to Yury Tyurin, Yury Terekhin, Vladimir Popov and Victor Koutergin.

Captain Ron Duguay fired two goals for the Wolves and singles were scored by Hector Marini and John Baby.

The Selects blasted 49 shots on two Sudbury goalkeepers, veteran Jim Bedard and rookie Eric Niskanen. Mikhil Vasilenok faced only 25 Sudbury shots.

Referee Don Sharpe handed out 18 minor penalties, 10 to the Wolves.

Hockey Trail

CENTRAL LEAGUE
Dallas 4, Oklahoma City 2.
Salt Lake City 7, Fort Worth 4.
Tulsa 8, Tucson 4.

B.C. JUNIOR
Penticton 5, Merritt 1.
Chilliwack 8, Langley 4.

WESTERN INTERNATINAL
Kimberley 4, Trail 3.
Spokane 5, Nelson 1.

ONTARIO MAJOR JUNIOR
Ottawa 2, Kitchener 2.
Sault Ste. Marie 7, Windsor 4.
Hamilton 5, London 2.
Oshawa 6, Toronto 2.
Kingston 6, Peterborough 3.

Coach Leaves Tiger-Cats

HAMILTON (CP(— Hamilton Tiger-Cats announced Friday their coach and general manager have resigned while the Canadian Football League club has rejected a takeover bid by Harold Ballard, owner of Toronto's Maple Leaf Gardens.

Following a club directors meeting, it was announced that coach Jerry Williams and general-manager Ralph Sazio have both resigsed although Sazio, a part owner, will remain as club president and will continue to handle many administrative duties and represent the club in league matters.

Williams coached the Ticcats to a CFL Grey Cup championship victory in 1972, his first season in Hamilton when the club posted an 11-3 won-lost record.

The following season, however, the club dropped to last place in the Eastern Conference with a 7-7 record and the last two seasons they have finished third. The club's over-all record in regular-season play under Williams was 30-29-1.

Williams, a native of Spokane, previously coached Calgary Stampeders in the CFL for four seasons beginning in 1965 and was head coach of the National Football League Philadelphia Eagles from 1969 to 1971.

He had two years remaining on a three-year contract with the Ticats and club officials said a settlement on the final two years would be made later.

Sazio, a former player, assistant coach and coach with the Ticats, became general manager in 1968 and was elected club president in 1973.

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Veeck Wheels, Deals to Deadline

HOLLYWOOD, Fla. (AP) — Age hasn't mellowed Bill Veeck.

Less than 24 hours after his return to baseball as owner of Chicago White Sox, Veeck upstaged the game's winter meetings with a flamboyant public display of wheeling and dealing.

The 61-year-old showman capped 12 hours of public telephone negotittions with four trades in the final hours of inter-league trading.

Chicago's trading highlighted a day of dealing during which such established major-league stars as Ralph Garr, Clay Carroll, Mickey Lolich and Rusty Staub changed uniforms.

Veeck sat in a chair in the lobby of the hotel where the winter baseball meetings were being held. He had a sign alongside him which read: "Open for Business Anytime."

A telephone stood on the table in front of him. General manager Roland Nemond and other Chicago aids sat around the table. Veeck sat in that chair more than 12 hours, carrying on negotiations with other club officials.

Several dozen hotel guests stopped to watch the unusual sight from behind a bannister in the lobby.

"Undoubtedly the other baseball people will say I'm making a travesty of trading," Veeck had said earlier. "But the game is fun."

The first blockbuster deal in the late move to beat the trading deadline of midnight Friday night involved New York Mets, who sent Staub, an outstanding hitter, to Detroit Tigers for Lolich, the veteran lefthanded pitcher.

The Staub-for-Lolich swap alone was a headliner, but what followed as Veeck and Hemond wheeled and dealed through four trades in less than tn hour was mind-boggling.

In those final frantic minutes, the White Sox sent outfielder Ken Henderson and pitchers Dick Ruthven and Dan Osborn to Atlanta Braves for Ralph Garr, the 1974 National League batting champion, and infielder Darvell Blanks. They quickly dispatched Blanks to Cleveland Indians for second baseman Jack Brohamer.

Minutes later, Veeck and company struck again—twice. The Sox acquired Carroll, long the ace of the bullpen for Cincinnati Reds, for left-handed pitcher Rich Hinton and catcher Jeff Sovern.

Carroll must accept the move under a baseball rule which allows players who have been in the major leagues for 10 years and with the same team for five to refuse trades.

Now, Hemond reached for the telephone again. He had seconds left to swing yet another trade. Veeck, concerned about the time left, sent Joe Reichler, special assistant to baseball commissioner Bowie Kuhn, to telephone Kuhn and ask for a brief extension of the trading deadline.

But the extension wasn't necessary. As the second hand ticked off the final minute, Hemond spoke over the phone to general manager Bing Devine of St. Louis Cardinals.

"Bing, this is Roland. We've got 15 seconds left. It's a deal." Reichler rushed up.

"Did you realize the deal?" asked the commissioner's man. "Your time is up."

"We just traded shortstop Bee Bee Richard to St. Louis Cardinals for outfielder Buddy Bradford and pitcher Greg Terlicky," Hemond said.

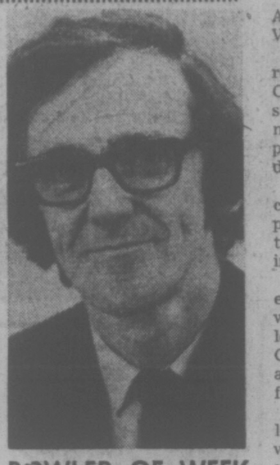
It took almost 24 hours for the Mets to convince Lolich to accept the Staub deal. A 13-year veteran with the Tigers, Lolich had balked at the switch when it was suggested Friday.

Earlier, in one of the busiest trading days in the history of the winter meetings, the Reds, 1975 World Series winners, and the Series losers, Boston Red Sox made moves to strengthen themselves.

The Red Sox sent pitcher Roger Moret, who won 14 and lost only three games last season, to Atlanta for reliever Tom House. House was 7-7 and allowed only two homers in 79 innings of pitching.

The Reds, picked up bench strength with the acquisition of Bob Ailey and Mike Lum.

In all, there were 23 deals involving 64 players during the week-long meetings. There would have been more, but Veeck ran out of time.



BOWLER OF WEEK

Blasting pins for big 341 count in middle game, Don Hanley chalked up first victory in Times Bowler-of-the-Week competition. Former Vancouver resident captured men's fivepin award in 10th week of 13th annual contest as he rolled 317-341-297—955 series in B.C. Hydro League at Town and Country Lanes.

NHL SUMMARIES

PATRICK DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Phila.	29	18	4	7	123	72	43
NY Islandrs	30	15	9	6	120	75	36
Atlanta	29	13	13	2	86	81	29
NY Rangers	30	12	14	4	98	113	28

NORRIS DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Montreal	30	20	5	5	132	66	45
Los Angeles	29	17	10	2	92	93	36
Pittsburgh	27	11	13	3	110	115	25
Detroit	30	9	17	4	79	120	22
Washington	30	3	24	3	88	150	9

ADAMS DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Buffalo	28	18	6	4	119	72	40
Boston	28	14	7	7	96	85	35
Toronto	27	9	10	8	78	87	26
California	31	11	17	3	82	97	25

SMYTHE DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Chicago	28	11	6	11	93	79	33
Vancouver	27	10	12	5	86	89	25
St. Louis	29	9	15	5	91	98	23
Kansas City	28	8	16	4	66	102	20
Minnesota	26	8	18	0	61	102	16

Next games: Tonight—New York Rangers at Detroit; New York Islanders at Toronto; Philadelphia at Los Angeles; Kansas City at Montreal; Boston at Pittsburgh; Chicago at Minnesota.

NY ISLANDERS 3, ATLANTA 3

First Period

1. Atlanta, Bennett (16) (Graves) 3:44.
2. NY Islanders, Trottier (13) (Harris, Gillies) 12:46.

Penalties — Gillies (1) 3:07; D. Potvin (1), Comeau (A) 5:05; Graves (A) 11:53; Marshall (1) 14:00.

Second Period

3. NY Islanders, Howatt (6) (St. Laurent) 5:30.

Penalties — Nystrom (1), Kea (A) (majors) 1:12; Marshall (1) 6:53; Parise (1) 13:20; Kea (A) 19:26.

Third Period

4. NY Islanders, Nystrom (7) (Marshall, Drouin) 12:59.
5. Atlanta, Flett (7) (Comeau, Kryskow) 13:59.
6. Atlanta, Vail (1) (Comeau, Flett) 19:37.

Penalties — Nystrom (1) 10:49, Marshall (1) 16:39.

Shots on goal by

NY Islanders	13	5	6—24
Atlanta	10	10	13—33

Goal — Resch, NY Islanders; Bouchard, Atlanta.

Attendance — 11,396.

DETROIT 5, WASHINGTON 3

First Period

1. Detroit, Bergeron (5) (Maloney, McKechnie) 1:10.
2. Washington, Clement (8) (Monahan) 2:08.
3. Detroit, Maloney (12) (Korney, McKechnie) 6:04.

Penalties — Brossart (W) 5:47; LeBlanc (D) 6:59; Watson (D) 10:10; Bailey (W) 14:15.

Second Period

4. Detroit, Bergeron (6) (McKechnie, Maloney) 0:15.

Penalties — Brossart (W) 1:58; Hamel (D), Lane (W) (majors) 9:16.

Third Period

5. Detroit, Bergeron (7) (McKechnie, Libett) 8:10.
6. Washington, Pyatt 13) (Joly, Stewart) 16:24.
7. Detroit Redmond (9) (Harper) 17:29.
8. Washington Lane (1) (Marson, Gryp) 18:17.

Penalties — Bergeron (D) 8:46; Hamel (D) 10:13; Salovaara (D) 17:58; LeBlanc (D) 19:27.

Shots on goal by:

Detroit	10	12	8—30
Washington	8	8	6—22

Goal — Giacomin, Detroit; Lowe, Washington.

Attendance — 6534.

ST. LOUIS 2, CALIFORNIA 5

First Period

1. California, Maruk (10) (Murdoch, MacAdam) 1:31.
2. St. Louis, Plante (9) (R. Plager) 4:01.
3. California, Pesut (3) (Frig) 7:09.
4. St. Louis, Thomson (5) (Wilson, Affleck) 12:32.

Penalties — Stewart (C) 5:26; Affleck (SL) 6:20.

Second Period

5. California, Merrick (9) (Hampton) 3:00.

Penalties — Gassoff (SL) 2:21; Irvine (SL), Girard (C) 13: C: Patey (SL) 17:56, Maruk (Cal) 18:39.

Third Period

6. California, Pappin (3) (Hampton) 2:18.
7. California, MacAdam (11) (Pesut, Pappin) 12:05.

Penalties — Patey (SL) 1:18; Gassof (SL) (major misconduct), Hampton (C) 8:19; Stewart (C) 12:57; Wilson (SL) Christie (C) (majors) 13:36.

Shots on goal by:

St. Louis	9	5	10—25
California	14	6	9—29

Goal—Johnston, St. Louis; Meloche, California.

Attendance — 6460.

Neeld in Pro Debut

Vancouver-reared Greg Neeld, barred from playing in the National Hockey League, officially made it to the World Association on Friday.

Admittedly nervous, the 20-year-old defenceman picked up two first-period penalties as the Toronto Toros suprised Quebec Nordiques 6-4 Friday in Toronto.

Neeld had signed a multi-year contract with Toronto earlier in the day.

Neeld, who played with Calgary Centennials in the Western Canada League last season, lost the sight of his left eye as the result of a hockey injury two seasons ago. For that reason, league rules prohibited him from playing with a NHL club.

Neeld shared the spotlight with rookie goalie Dave Tataryn. Also signed by Toros after completing a five-game trial, Tataryn was outstanding in the Toronto win.

QUEBEC (4): Marc Tardif (24th and 25th), Christian Bordeleau (11th), Real Cloutier (21st). TORONTO (6): Mark Napier (8th and 9th), Tom Simpson (7th), Jim Turkiewicz (5th), Vaclav Nedomansky (25th), Frank Mahovlich (17th). Attendance: 6898.

MINNESOTA (0). CLEVELAND (1): Richard Leduc (10th). Attendance: 7543.

CALGARY (2): Bob Leiter (1st), Danny Lawson (15th). WINNIPEG (4): Mats Lindh (6th and 7th), Ulf Nilsson (16th), Norm Beaudin (10th). Attendance: 8376.

INDIANAPOLIS (2): Reg Thomas (11th), Blair MacDonald (10th). HOUSTON (4): Larry Lund (9th), John Schella (3rd), Frank Hughes (12th), Marty Howe (5th). Attendance: 8452.

CINCINNATI (4): Gene Sobchuk (11th), Murray Myers (1st), Bryan Campbell (8th), Jacques Locas (9th. PHOENIX (2): John Gray (9th), Don Hall (10th). Attendance: 6042.

Reprimand Reply

PERTH, Australia (Reuter) — Ian Chappell, reprimanded before play started, was acclaimed Friday after a brilliant rescue innings for Australia on the first day of the second cricket test against the West Indies.

On a day also marked by Lance Gibb's 300th test wicket, Chappell hit 148 not out to lift Australia to 317 for seven. No other Australian batsman reached even 50.

Chappell might not have played at all. After an incident in a Sheffield Shield match in Melbourne last weekend when he used abusive language to the umpires, there was speculation that the former Australian captain would be suspended.

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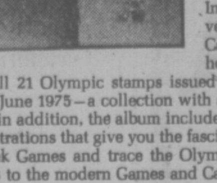

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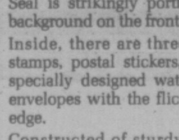

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'Miracle Pump' Wins Acclaim

By PAT DUFOUR
Times Staff

A Victoria commercial fisherman with a grade eight education has invented a miracle pump that is winning him international acclaim.

He is so disgusted, however, with government indifference he has set up his own company in Denver, Col., and is seriously considering leaving the country.

Frank Hillis, 45, of 2067 Cedar Hill Cross Road is so busy filling demands for his pump he's had to hand over the operation of his dragger-seiner Haste to a friend.

Two of his sons — Harold, 24, and Larry, 16 — and his son-in-law Reg Daswon help Hillis make pumps in a rented workshop at Centre Shipyards Ltd. on Kingston. But that won't last forever.

When he expands it will be in Denver where he's formed a company named Advance Repulsion Systems. He explains why:

"This government does not encourage initiative. Here I have to pay 75 to 80 per cent in income tax. In the U.S. it's considered a long-term capital gain and the tax is only 25 per cent."

He accuses government departments of indifference. "If it looks good you can't get a subsidy. They only subsidize possible failures," he says. "How does a guy get started?"

Hillis is not a man to stand still. He quit school through boredom, and operated his own fish boat when he was 11. He had his own logging camp when he was 19. He invented a gravel-sizer three years ago that uses hydraulic pressure to grade and size seven yards of gravel in six seconds.

He asked for federal and provincial help to get that project under way but was turned down.

"Although there are subsidies for mine equipment they turned me down because they said the gravel-sizer could be used for other purposes," he said. He went ahead anyway and now his gravel-sizer is used extensively in the field.

His newest invention was first used March 1 when Hillis was aboard Haste at Stener Cove on the west coast of Vancouver Island. In two days 600 tons of herring were loaded on a scow. Five B.C. fish companies have now ordered pumps.

The miracle pump is unimpressive in appearance, resembling a heavy-duty unenclosed engine muffler with a small lead-in pipe extending from the wide section like a handle.

Using suction at one end and exhaust at the other, Hillis explains a "miniature cycline" is created inside the pump.

Hillis has been granted a patent for his pump by Canada and Britian and has applied for patents in 20 other countries.

A major wheat company has asked for tests and the results could alter its entire grain-loading operation across the prairie provinces. Hillis explained that instead of the usual conventional silos, lower ones the height of a railroad car could be used.

"Using the pump, the grain won't be crushed, there will be no dust, loading will be faster and the silos will be cheaper to build," Hillis said.

Inventor Hillis and pump

The pump is being used in Pakistan to unload grain from ships, in New Orleans for unloading barges and in Ontario, where the Calan Ore Co. has found it the answer to the problem of ridding an iron ore mine of dust.

At Colorado Springs the pump is in demand for the pumping of silica sand out of railroad cars and into hoppers. It's been used to construct an 80-foot-high tar and gravel rook in Denver.

The pump was used on a six-week project to rid the Okanagan Lake of weeds. "But that was for free ... They (the government authorities) told me they didn't have any money," Hillis reports.

Hillis' inventive mind has produced several other designs he's yet to develop.

One is an oil spill recovery system that Hillif claims will scoop oil up way out at sea in the roughest weather. An oil company has already intimated it is interested in getting it for its Gulf of Mexico operations.

Here again, Hillis is impatient with government policies before assistance is granted:

"They want a 10-page written report on your academic qualifications and everything else before they'll look at it ... I just haven't time for that sort of thing."

He added: "I went to the department of trade and commerce. I was sent to 16 different offices and finally referred back to the first one."

Court of Appeal Upholds Crowe in Pipe Hearings

OTTAWA (CP) — The continued participation of National Energy Board Chairman Marshall Crowe in the MacKenzie Valley gas pipeline regulatory hearings has been upheld by the Federal Court of Appeal, despite charges by three public interest groups of apprehended bias on Crowe's part.

In a unanimous decision, handed down the same week as the case was heard, the five-member Federal Court of Appeal panel ruled that "on the totality of the facts" in the case, a reasoned and informed person, thinking the matter through, would not have cause to have an apprehension of bias either with respect to a decision on the public convenience and necessity of a northern pipeline or in favor of any particular pipeline application.

In the Court's opinion, the NFB can now reject the formal challenges to Crowe's continued participation in the hearings by the groups claiming apprehended bias.

The charges had been made by the Committee for Justice and Liberty Foundation of Toronto, a non-denominational religious group; the Consumers Association of Canada; and the Canadian Arctic Resources Committee, a national environmental group.

At issue were Crowe's prior participation in what the Court described as decisions relating to "very advanced plans" for implementing one of the pipeline projects now being considered by the NEB: the Canadian Arctic Gas Pipeline Ltd. of Toronto to project.

Before being appointed to the NEB, Crowe had been president and chairman of the Canada Development Corporation and had represented the CDC when it joined the Canadian Arctic Gas consortium. Crowe quit both the CDC and the pipeline consortium when he was nominated by the government to the NEB.

The Federal Court of Appeal decided that Crowe was representing the government, not himself, when he attended pipeline study group meetings on behalf of the CDC, which was at the time wholly-owned by the government.

The Court also noted that there was no evidence presented to suggest Crowe had expressed public or private opinions for or against a Mackenzie Valley pipeline or in favor of any of the applicants.

It said that at no time does it appear that Crowe stood or stands to lose or gain personally as a result of a decision affecting the Canadian Arctic Gas study group that might be made by the NEB northern pipeline hearings.

U.K. Inflation Dip

LONDON (AFP) — The annual inflation rate in Britian fell to 25.2 per cent in November, following 25.9 per cent in October and 26.6 per cent in September.

LANG ON THE TILES

OTTAWA (FP) — Calgary's handsome new airport incorporates German tile in its construction rather than the Canadian-made tiles despite the fact the Canadian tiles are as good as the imported product, Tory MP Stan Schellenberger said today.

He said he had protested when the airport was being constructed that the specifications called for the use of German-made tile. He had raised the question earlier in the year with the then transport minister Jean Marchand suggesting that the specifications be altered so that the Canadian product could be used.

"However the engineers said that if they used the Candian tile rather than the German tile they would not guarantee the job. We went to the Canadian Research Council in Edmonton and had tests done on the Candian tile and on the other tile.

"The tests showed the Canadian tile as good in strength, colour and durability. Despite this the plans and specifications were approved by Ottawa requiring the use of the German tile," said Schellenberger.

In the Commons Friday he urged present Transport Minister Otto Lang to work with the ministers of supply and services and industry, trade and commerce to assure that the ceramincs industry in Canada will get preference in government contracts.

He suggested that the contracts specify the use of available Canadian ceramic products.

"Then we will not follow the practice followed in the case of the new Calgary airport," he added.

Lang promised to look into the matter.

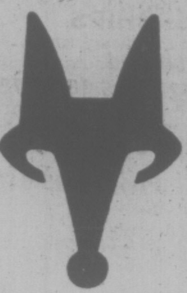
Sewage Effluent Useful: Study

SASKATOON (CP) — Preliminary results from a University of Saskatchewan study suggest that sewage effluent may be successfully recycled in some agricultural soils.

Researchers in the department of soil science have found that effluent from the city of Moose Jaw can be used for irrigation, provided 20 per cent of it drains below the rooting zone. Drainage to this extent is required to prevent the build-up of salts from the domestic and industrial wastes. One problem, however, is that the salts eventually infiltrate ground water supplies and this must be taken into account in any plans for using effluent to grow crops.

Dr. E. de Jong, who is in charge of the study, said that besides providing water and nutrients for crop growth, effluent irrigation would avoid such problems as the spread of disease and odors, which can occur when waste is discharged into waterways, and it would cost less than more sophisticated chemical and mechanical measures.

Prof. de Jong said it will be up to geologists and hydrologists to determine the severity of the problem posed by the infiltration of salts into ground water. He pointed out, however, that effluent dumped into waterways also results in salt problems at some stage and commented: "With effluent irrigation you at least have the advantage of from 50 to 75 per cent of the water, with the nutrients it contains, being used for growing crops."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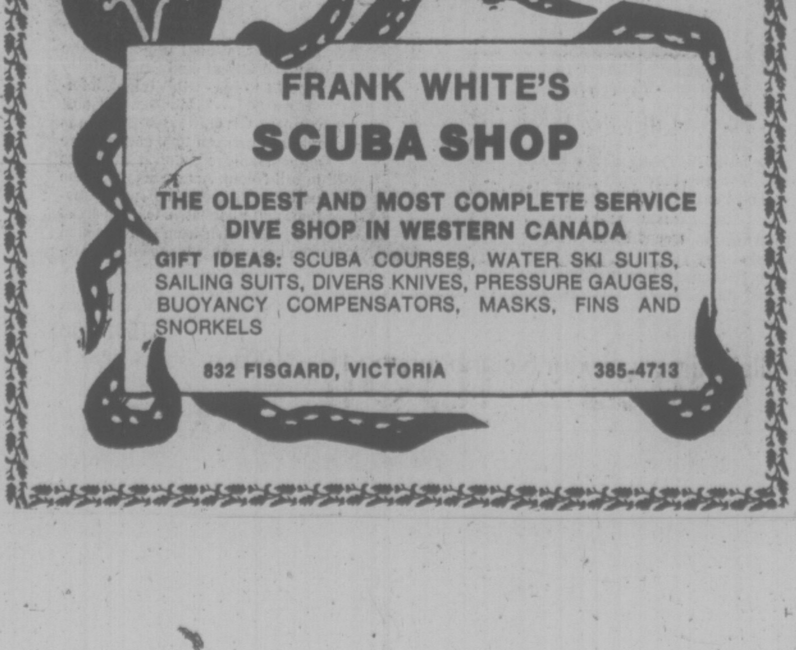
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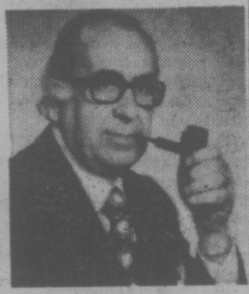

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Greenhouse Questions

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jack beastall

A friend confided that his wife would be the recipient of a greenhouse for Christmas, something she had wanted for a long time. Having built five glass houses and several protective structures, I was interested in the purposes for which this gift house was intended and the type of house being considered.

Unfortunately, no definite answer was given, probably because neither party had any experience in using a greenhouse and therefore had no idea that differences existed.

The pre-cut structure displayed in lumber yards is the only type of greenhoue most amateur gardeners know, and purchase is usually decided on price. After erection in the garden comes the question of what to grow.

This approach is comparable to becoming the proud owner of a truck and later asking to what use it can be put. It is the reason we see so many derelect structures in home gardens.

The first question to be answered is the purpose for which the greenhouse is to be used. What is it we wish to grow and what type of greenhouse will be best suited to our needs?

Is it to be a cold house for hardy food crops over winter? A frost-free house (occasional heat) for plants needing only protection from frost? A warm house (continuous heat) for growing a variety of potted plants? The answer determines the size and design.

The second question is the size permitted by the local authorities.

In some municipalities the maximum size and shape is governed by regulations, in others the maximum of square feet of floor area is stated with no controls on shape. Most areas require the issuance of a building permit before construction is started.

There are two basic construction designs, one having glass sides from foundation to eaves, the other with wooded sides to the height of the benches, usually 32 to 36 inches, and glass from bench level to eaves. The former is more difficult to heat than the latter.

Structures with glass to soil level are designed for growing crops in the ground beds. Since most of the work is done on hands and knees, the height to the eaves is around four feet with a six foot clearance to the bottom of the ridge.

In the bench type house eaves are five to six feet high with an eight foot clearance to the ridge, because most of the work will be done in a standing position.

Another design is the half-span house, or lean-to type. This may be erected against an existing wall, or in the open with one side boarded from soil level to ridge. The boarded side faces north.

When a structure of this type adjoins a residence its uses are limited to some extent. No poisonous sprays can be used because of the toxic particles collecting within the residence; choice of fertilizers is limited to those which are non-odorous; The required relative humidity of around 75 per cent cannot be maintained if doors or windows open into the greenhouse.

There are two approved ways of attaching the sheets of glass to the sides and roof. One is to slide the sheets into grooves with the ends butted together.

This method is neither draft-proof or leak-proof. It is only suitable for a cold house over hardy crops which will tolerate draughts and rain drip.

The other method is to set the glass on putty in a recess cut into side and roof with one glass overlapping the next by a maximum of one-quarter inch, and all glasses held in place with small brads.

The amount of overlap is important. If more than one-quarter inch, there will be a gap in which water can collect. When this freezes it will expand and split the glass from top to bottom, usually straight down the middle so that the glass falls out.

If heat is needed in the house a proper chimney is required in all residential areas for coal, wood, and oil space heaters. Portable coal-oil heaters and lamps need permanent vents for the escape of fumes. Electric heating must be installed according to the electrical code.

Electric soil heating cables, bedded in ashes and covered with sand, are good for seed germination and the rooting of cuttings. A small propagating structure, narrow with a low roof, can often be heated sufficiently to keep out frost with just the radiation of heat from the propagating beds or boxes.

To obtain the maximum use from any type of greenhouse there must be adequate coldframe space outside the structure. This is a fact most amateurs do not know, and the reason so many attempts at using a greenhouse are failures.

It is better to build a small house and a good set of sturdy coldframes than to invest all the money in a large elaborate house alone.

Commercially we figure coldframe space at five times the area of the greenhouse. For the amateur about twice as much will do for a start, with more added later if the venture is successful.

Ventilation is far more important than high temperature in any greenhouse, and most kit greenhouses have totally inadequate venting area. The smaller the house the more venting area is necessary to hold down summer temperatures and provide sufficient ventilation on the lee side during winter.

The minimum for a small house is four vents in the roof, 24 ins. deep and two runs of glass wide, set opposite each other so that air passes through and sucks out the heat without cold draughts down the opposite slope to damage the plants.

A large vent in the end opposite the door is also needed, using two vents as in the roof, side by side. This provides summer through-draft from the open door, and is used in winter to freshen the air without losing all the heat through the roof vents.

These large vents can be obtained second-hand from wrecking firms. They are mounted on the outside of the present structure without cutting the roof or side bars. It is only necessary to remove the pieces of glass and tack suitable headers between the bars using short pieces of 2 x 4.

For comfort and pleasure nothing is more worth while than a wooden shed on the north end of the greenhouse, with a strong bench for soil mixing, potting, seed sowing and pricking out seedlings.

There is never space for this kind of work in the glass section, nor for the storage of compost, sand, pots, boxes, and hand tools.

When provided with heat in winter, the shed makes the one place a good greenhouseman heads for when outdoor (or indoor!) conditions are "unfit for man or beast."

Speaking Between The TV Lines

MONTREAL (UPI) — Bell Canada says it has made the first commercial application in North America of a technique to transmit television sound signals between the lines that make up a TV image.

Bell said the new method of transmission, "sound-in-sync," is used on the telecommunications channel by which it provides TV broadcast signals from Toronto to Ottawa for TV Ontario.

TV Ontario is the educational television network of the Ontario Educational Communications Authority.

A Bell spokesman explained that the picture on a television set is composed of 525 individually-transmitted lines, which are sent so quickly that a viewer sees only the complete picture instead of the line-at-a-time transmission.

He said the time period between the transmission of each line is only 4.7 microseconds. A microsecond is one-millionth of a second.

The Bell spokesman said that it is into those 4.7 microsecond gaps in the video signal that the sound is squeezed, in encoded form, by the new sound-in-sync technique.

Stephen Naisby, broadcast industry manager for Bell, said this was the first time here that television audio signals have been digitally transmitted over the same circuit as the video signals.

CIA ATTRACTED 'SILLIEST ASSES'

TORONTO (CP) — Comentator I. F. Stone says the CIA has attracted "the silliest bunch of asses ever to cause trouble around the world" and cited as evidence a CIA plot to make Cuban Premier Fidel Castro's beard fall out.

Stone, who published I. F. Stone's Weekly in Washington for 18 years, said in a speech Wednesday at the University of Toronto that the CIA believed the source of Castro's appeal was his beard.

The agency developed a depilatory powder which they hoped to use when Castro was travelling outside Cuba, Stone said.

"Castro was supposed to leave his shoes outside his hotel room door to be shined," he said. "Then this powder would have been sprinkled on the shoes which would have made his beard fall out."

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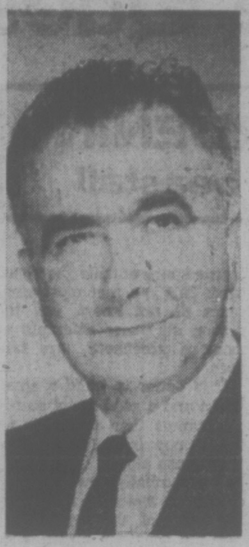
Bishop De Roo's Assistant Replaces Msgr. O'Connell

Gerald Ricard, former chairman of foreign languages at Seattle University, has been appointed administrative assistant to Roman Catholic Bishop Remi de Roo.

Ricard will handle administration, business finances and public relations for the Vancouver Island diocese and his appointment becomes effective Jan. 1.

A native of Montreal, Ricard takes over duties formerly handled by Msgr. Michael O'Connell who accepted a three year posting at the Canadian Catholic Bishop headquarters in Ottawa.

Ricard has been employed at Seattle University since 1960, when he started as assistant director of the evening division.



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PERSPECTIVES AND PREJUDICES

'No Need to Bore Almighty'

By REV. J. A. DAVIDSON

"I've come for some coffee and chatter," I said to My Irritable Friend a few days ago when I stopped at his manse while driving through the town in which he is a pastor.

"Actually," he said as he slopped the coffee into the cups, "I will feel quite guilty if we were merely to indulge in idle chatter." "Surely," he continued, "we have sufficient maturity to get beyond that kind of uncreative endeavor. Rather, my friend, let us dialogue together.

Hopefully, we can even have a true interpersonal relationship, even an eyeball-to-eyeball confrontation. And by effective, creative communication with one another, in an authentic interpersonal nexus — or do I mean 'plexus'? — we can minimize our dichotomies and synthesize our polarities, hopefully."

That line of talk, quite uncharacteristic of M.I.F., caused me to choke on my coffee. After thumping me on the back he explained to me that he had recently seen the light after listening to a couple of eager, articulate Religious Communicators at a "workshop" he had recently attended on Communicating the Essential Christian Message in an Age of Unprecedented Change.

M.I.F. then chided me for my terrible old-fashionedness as a religious communicator, which he said was relieved only by my occasional use of such blessed words as "existential", "relevance", and "meaningfulness". He urged me to hang-loose to the old conventions, to get with it, to concentrate my attention on where it's at.

He told me that I should discipline myself to cultivate "unuptightness" — a splendid word coined, he thought, by the famous U.S. anthropologist and TV interviewee he calls Dr. Mushley Ontagu.

When I said that I must be heading for home as I had yet to plan the services for my congregation for the coming Sunday, he asked I were still calling it "Divine Service" or "Morning Worship" or something like that.

When I nodded "Yes", he castigated me for my fuddy-duddiness and said, "Get with it, man, get with it! Call it The Weekly Celebration of the Community of Faith.

And you are no longer to call yourself a preacher; call yourself a Resource Person for Meaningful Dialogue."

"And," he continued, "you really must get yourself some of those new books of snappy prayers. No need to bore the Almighty with all that old stuff. Give Him a bit of amusement as you amuse your people."

Then he gave me a goodie, a benediction which combines the intellectuality of the new mood in theology with the folksiness of Billy Graham:

"May the Ground of your existence bless you all real good." "Can you get more with-it than that?" he asked.

As I was leaving My Irritable Friend smiled genially and said, "Well, anyway, that's the way the cookie bounces."

Old Order Mennonites Cling to Ancient Ways

By ROSEMARY PITCHER

ST JACOBS, Ont. (CP) — Playgrounds where there is no re-enactment of TV violence, drugs or profanity are not a wistful dream.

They do exist in the 24 Old Order Mennonite and Amish parochial schools which have mushroomed in this part of southwestern Ontario during the last decade.

Most of the Old Order Mennonites, the half dozen Amish and the two Conservative Mennonite schools which now have a total enrolment of close to 1,000 pupils in Waterloo, Perth and Wellington Counties, are located in the country.

Classes are held in the little-red-school-house type of buildings, many with bells in towers, which went out with the last century. All are equipped with swings and teeter-totters.

The lives of the 1,000 children behind the calico-curtain of Mennonite country is so vastly different from the jean-clad pupils of other Canadian schools that they could be living in another world.

To walk into one of the Mennonite parochial school playgrounds is like stepping back a century into a less-complex and slower-paced world. Pupils spend their breaks sitting on the teeter-totters or swings.

They nibble on thick sandwiches of fresh, home-made bread and home-cured ham, wedges of fresh cakes, pie and home-made doughnuts from their well-filled lunch boxes. There is good-natured mischief but no rowdyism.

They don't ape movie or TV violence—there are no television sets or radios in Old Order Mennonite homes. They never go to movies. The only rock'n'roll they are likely to hear are the strains which might float into the playgrounds from passing cars.

Girls dressed in pinafores over long-skirted print dresses run about playing tag, their long, thick pigtails flopping on their shoulders. Boys in braces have a Tom Sawyer look about them.

There are no disciplinary problems in Mennonite schools. Their strict upbringing, however, does nothing to dampen their natural exuberance.

The Mennonite parochial schools came into being in 1966 when Old Order Mennonites quietly rebelled against the type of curriculum offered in public schools. Sex education and gymnastics rankled them most. Their opposition intensified when school boards abolished one-room schools in favor of regional schools to which pupils were conveyed by bus.

The Old Order Mennonites, who travel in horse-drawn buggies, objected to the busing. Elders of the Old Order Mennonite churches decided quick action was needed after children reported their teachers demanded that they put on gym suits with bloomers and participate in games which included dancing.

The move has meant self-sacrifice to the Old Order Mennonites and Amish. They must continue to pay public school taxes and at the same time maintain their own schools.

Money required for the construction of the parochial schools and teachers' salaries is raised through voluntary contributions—about $200 per family. All Mennonites contribute whether they have school-aged children or not. Families who cannot pay the fee are enabled to send their children to the schools, regardless of the number.

Teachers for the most part are young girls who have completed their Grade 8. Some have taken additional summer courses. They wear the traditional Mennonite garb—long calico dresses with white prayer caps on top of their braided hair. Their salaries are low in comparison to the teachers in other schools but they are dedicated and teacher strikes will never be a problem of Old Order Mennonite school boards.

Reading, writing and arithmetic is the backbone of the school curriculum and in most cases there is little need for more. The majority of pupils quit school at the age of 14.

The Old Order Mennonites won the right in a brief they sent to the provincial government in 1968. Exemption was granted in the event the children were needed at home. Few continue their formal education—the need at home appears to be great.

The 1968 brief sought the exemption on the grounds that "continuing in school after the age of 14 might lead our teenagers to the rebellion and apathy found among some of the youth of the province."

'Nice, Warm Christmas'

CHICAGO (UPI) — Joe Masny, a Polish immigrant who has lived under Chicago's viaducts for nine years, is going to have a "nice, warm Christmas" this year because of a guy named Perez.

Abel Perez, 32, picked up Joe, 46, from under a viaduct Wednesday and offered him free room and board.

"I saw in the newspaper about this man being stranded by the viaduct," Perez said. "I said to my wife, 'I'm going to pick up this man, Hon.' I took my daughter to school and then picked him up."

Masny had been sleeping and eating with his two dogs under the viaduct since last summer, Perez said, and living under other viaducts throughout the city for the last nine years.

"He's not a bum, not a hobo, a drunk or a wino," Perez said. "He just had a bad break in life. In our society, you're either the strong or the weak."

Perez, an automobile mechanic who owns two small apartment buildings, said he picked Masny up "because I guess anybody else would have done it. I felt sorry for the man, I did the thing that any other normal citizen would have done.

COVENANT PLAYERS AT BAPTIST CHURCH

The Covenant Players will be special guests at morning services Sunday at Emmanuel Baptist Church, 2121 Cedar Hill Crossroad.

The California group will attend the worship breakfast in the fellowship room, at 8:45 a.m. and the morning praise at 9:15 a.m.

Also scheduled is a Christmas in Music program at the church at 7 p.m., presented by the combined 50-voice choirs.

CHURCH DEADLINES

FOR SATURDAY, DECEMBER 20
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4 P.M. Friday, December 19
FOR SATURDAY, DECEMBER 27
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7:30 p.m.
JUDGMENT OF THE ALMIGHTY
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Minister: Rev. G. D. Smith, M.A.
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11 A.M. SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER
Dedication of Memorial Windows
Church School all grades
7 P.M. THE LORD'S SUPPER

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11 A.M.
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Pastor Alex Shook
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Adult Classes—Supervised Nursery
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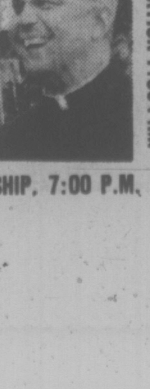

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FRIDAY NIGHT CELEBRATION 7:30 P.M.
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CHESSMASTER

By George Koltanowski
International Chess Master

PROBLEM
By David Hjelle, Norway

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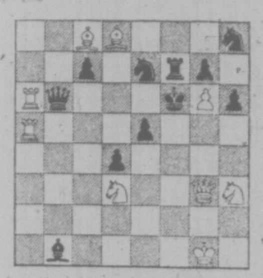

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White to play and mate in two moves. Solution below.

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Short-cut from the 1974 Mar Del Plata tournament.

WHITE: Carlos Gentile
BLACK: Alvaro Campori

PIRC DEFENSE

1.	P-K4	P-Q3
2.	P-Q4	P-KN3
3.	N-QB3	B-N2
4.	N-B3	N-KB3
5.	B-K2	0-0
6.	B-N5	P-B4
7.	PxP	Q-R4
8.	0-0	QxBP
9.	BxN	PxB
10.	N-Q5	B-K3
11.	P-QN4	Resigns

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CHESS IN THE SOVIET UNION

By Alexander Roshal, Novosti Press Agency

When Mikhail Chigorin (1850-1908), the father of the Russian school of chess, founded his Chess Chronicle, he had to struggle to get the 250 subscribers he needed to break even. Today chess is so popular in the Soviet Union that public demand supports one weekly and two monthly magazines plus special monthly bulletins. Circulation of the chess weekly 64, and Chess in the USSR and Chess (in Russian and Latvian) combined is almost 300,000.

The chess movement in the USSR is guided by the Committee of Sport under the Council of Ministers and also by the Chess Federation, which includes nearly four million people. The Soviet Union boasts more than 30 Grandmasters and over 600 Masters. The names of world champions Mikhail Botvinnik, Vasili Smyslov, Mikhail Tal, Tigran Petrosian, Boris Spassky and Nona Gaprindashvili are known everywhere. Since 1952, Soviet Grandmasters have not failed to win the Hamilton-Russell Gold Cup, the highest award at the World Chess Olympiads.

There are chess clubs in almost every town and city throughout the Soviet Union. These clubs organize lectures, exhibitions and classes. The Palaces of Chess in Leningrad, Yerevan and Tbilisi are especially popular. There are also clubs at many factories — the biggest being at the Moscow and Gorky automotive plants. Universities and other schools have their own clubs as do professional and sports societies.

Our youngsters learn to play at the Pioneer Palaces, where classes are held two or three times a week in the form of games. In addition, the palaces offer lectures on theory and demonstrations of the famous games of masters.

The young Grandmaster Anatoli Karpov, the challenger for the world chess title final against Robert Fischer, began his chess player's career in one of these groups for schoolchildren in his hometown of Zlatoust. From childhood he was a member of the chess circle at the local iron and steel plant. His talent did not go unnoticed, and he was invited to study under Mikhail Botvinnik at the chess school sponsored by the Trud Sport Society. Step by step he has moved up to his present eminence.

The young generation will soon succeed the old in Soviet chess: Fortunately, there is no antagonism between the chess "fathers and sons." The USSR Committee for Sports sponsors friendly matches between prominent Grandmasters and the most promising young Masters; tournaments are also held between combined adult and youth teams. It is noteworthy that these competitions promise no material benefits to the Grandmasters — they simply share their experience with those who will someday challenge them for the right to be called the best.

These contests and many others are widely advertised by the Soviet press and television which, incidentally, regularly shows a special study program called Chess School.

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The solution to the problem above is: 1. NxP, NxP; 2. N-N4 mate; or 1 . . . B-B4; 2. Q-R4 mate; or 1 . . . Q-K3; 2. Q-Br mate; etc.

Girek Re-Elected

WARSAW (Reuter) — Edward Girek, a 62-year-old ex-miner and wartime underground organizer, was re-elected first secretary of the Polish Communist Party Friday.

Amid all the colored lights and tinsel excitement of the holiday preparations, let us keep in mind the purpose of this joyful occasion and give some thought to the One whose birthday we are preparing to celebrate. Remember that although He lived a very short life span, in an obscure manner, in a sparsely populated area, He did more than all the great rulers of the world combined to change the course of its history. Honor the birthday of the Son of God by attending Christmas services at the Church of your choice; and learn to follow His teachings there every Sunday.

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The Daily Colonist and The Victoria Times will publish a special Christmas Services Church Page

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 24th

Advertising Deadline: Friday, December 19, 4 p.m.

10,000 Christians to Share 'Acts of Kindness'

MONTREAL (CP) — Some 10,000 young Christians coming to Montreal from around the world next summer during the Olympics won't be armed with Games tickets and movie cameras.

They're coming to share in what a co-ordinator for the program calls "acts of practical kindness."

The volunteers, sponsored by 41 evangelical Christian denominations and organizations, will man distress centres, information booths and day-care centres as well as distribute Christian literature and present religious entertainment.

They'll be representing such diverse groups as the Canadian Bible Society, the Salvation Army, the relief organization World Vision International and The Fellowship of Christian Athletes. Half of the groups are Canadian.

An agency set up for one year, Aide Olympique, has the troublesome task of co-ordinating the work of volunteers coming from Europe, Asia, Canada and the United States for periods of two weeks up to two months.

A focal point of the effort is a three-day crusdade by American evangelist Billy Graham during the middle weekend of the Games, July 23-25.

Graham's crusade director, Sterling Huston, told an October meeting of Montreal clergymen and lay leaders representing 60 area churches that the evangelist had selected Montreal for a rally out of 8,500 requests.

Executive-director for Aide Olympique is Dr. Peter Foggin, a bilingual 36-year-old university geography professor. He will be assisted by three other full-time workers.

Prof. Foggin, who left his research and teaching position at University of Quebec at Montreal for a year, said the committee aims "to assure a valid Christian presence during the Games."

He said the job of the committee is to coordinate the work of the various visitors "and help them be involved in the life of the community in practical ways."

"I find it exciting that so many different and varied organizations are willing to drop their differences and work together," said Foggin.

One of the committee's projects is the printing of a resources handbook which contains information on every kind of assistance available to visitors.

Another is a 24-hour telephone crisis centre staffed by 20 people — with such referral personnel as doctors and psychiatrists — "which visitors can call if lost or ill or trying to locate friends," said Prof. Foggin.

He denied the crusade represents proselytism. "We're just sharing our experience of the love of Christ, especially in practical ways, so people will realize it goes beyond theory or philosophy."

Silver Threads Activities

VICTORIA

MONDAY: 8:30 a.m. a.m. — Drop-in Cards, Shuffleboard, Pool, Library; 11:30 a.m. — Lunch; 1 p.m. — Stamp Club; 1:15 p.m. — Bridge; 7:20 p.m. — Whist.

TUESDAY: 8:30 a.m. — Drop-in, Cards, Shuffleboard, Pool, Library; 10 a.m. — Beginners' Bridge, Keep Fit Class; 11:30 a.m. — Lunch; 1 p.m. — Beginners' Bridge; 1:30 p.m. — Talk on Income Tax Returns and Home Owners Grants will be given by Mrs. Betty Chalmers from Canada Revenue; 3:00 p.m. — Bowling at Town and Country; 7:30 p.m. — Old Time Dance, members only, 50c.

WEDNESDAY: 8:30 a.m. — Drop-in Cards, Shuffleboard, Pool, Library; 10 a.m. — Kitchen Band; 11:30 a.m. — Lunch; 1 p.m. — Chess Club; 1:15 p.m. Singsong; 2 p.m. — Concert; 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. — Health Counselling; 7:20 p.m. — Whist.

THURSDAY: 8:30 a.m. — Drop-in, Cards, Shuffleboard, Pool, Library; 10 a.m. — Conversational Spanish; 1:30 p.m. — Christmas Dinner, the Choir from Central Junior Secondary School will entertain following the Dinner.

FRIDAY: 8:30 a.m. — Drop-in, Cards, Shuffleboard, Pool, Library; 10 a.m. — Advanced Bridge; 11:30 a.m. — Lunch; 1:15 p.m. — Bridge; 1:30 p.m. — Choral Group; 7:20 p.m. — Cribbage.

SATURDAY: 11 a.m. — Drop-in, Cards, Shuffleboard, Pool; 2 p.m. — Whist, Chess Club; 7:20 p.m. — "500" Card Game.

SUNDAY: 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. — Drop-in.

A Christmas light tour has been arranged for Monday, December 29th, at 7 p.m. Tickets are $1.00 each.

SAANICH

MONDAY: 9:30 a.m. — billiards, shuffleboard, drop-ins; 11:30 a.m. — soup and sandwich lunch; 1 p.m. — duplicate and contract bridge; 7 p.m. — Hampton Happy Gang Orchestra practice.

TUESDAY: 9:30 a.m. — carpet bowling, billiards, drop-ins; 11:30 a.m. — hot meal; 1 p.m. — chess, billiard instruction for the ladies; 1:30 p.m. — progressive whist, billiards drop-ins; 2 p.m. — Audiologist — leave name at desk for appointment.

WEDNESDAY: 9:30 a.m. — drop-ins, billiards; 11:30 a.m. — soup and sandwich lunch; 1:30 p.m. — set up for dinner-dance; 6 p.m. — Christmas Dinner (ticket only); 7:30 p.m. — Dance.

THURSDAY: 9:30 a.m. — carpet bowling, billiards, drop-ins; 11:30 a.m. — soup and sandwich lunch; 1 p.m. — progressive and contract bridge.

FRIDAY: Activities cancelled 10 a.m. - 12 noon — Multiple Sclerosis Society Clinic Christmas Party; 2 p.m. — Jacko; 7:30 p.m. — Progressive Whist.

SATURDAY: 1 p.m. — Bridge lessons and games in the lounge; 1:30 p.m. — Cribbage, billiards, drop-ins, tea.

Volunteer drivers needed to drive handicapped members to and from the Centre — Phone 382-3151 or 382-3152; tea and coffee served daily at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. — visitors welcome — Reading and Record Library available to all members.

ESQUIMALT

MONDAY: 10 a.m. — Creative Writing Class — everyone welcome; Learn to Dance; Jubilee Band Practice. 1 p.m. - 5 p.m. pin bowling at Cush's. 1:30 p.m. — Carpet Bowling; Checkers; Oil Painting with Mr. Bates. 3 p.m. — New Horizons Bowling at Town and Country.

TUESDAY: 9 a.m. — Curling. 10 a.m. — Oil Painting with Mrs. Mawby; Baking Bee; Quilting. 11 a.m. — Curling. 1:30 p.m. — New Horizons 2nd year ceramics; Bridge; Carpet Bowling. 2 p.m. — Swimming for Seniors.

WEDNESDAY: 10 a.m. — Silver Singers Party. No hot lunch as we are preparing tomorrow's Christmas Dinner. 1:30 p.m. Whist.

THURSDAY: 10 a.m. — Beadwork; 12:15 — Christmas Dinner followed by music by the Silver Singers. Weaving Class; Sewing Class. 1:30 p.m. — New Horizons beginning Ceramics; Chess; Cribbage.

FRIDAY: 9 a.m. — Curling. 10 a.m .— Learn to Carpet Bowl; Quilting. 11 a.m. — Curling. No dance today. Please join us for our Christmas Dance Monday at 7 p.m., December 22, 50c.

SIDNEY

MONDAY: 9 a.m. — Centre open. 10 a.m. shopping trip to Hillside, quilting, ceramics. Dancing for fun. Noon—lunch. 1 p.m. —French, ceramics. 2 p.m. — films.

TUESDAY: 9 a.m. — centre open. 10 a.m. — oil painting, serenaders practice. Noon — lunch. 1 p.m. — watercolours — oils. 1:15 p.m. — whist. 7 p.m. — shuffelboard.

WEDNESDAY: 9 a.m. — centre open, 12:30 p.m. — Christmas Dinner. 2 p.m. — Sing-a-long with Al Smith. 7 p.m. — band practice.

THURSDAY: 9 a.m. — centre open. 10 a.m. — liquid embroidery — weaving. Noon — lunch. 1 p.m. — dressmaking — bridge. 2:15 p.m. — concert with Oakland elementary school 7 p.m. — crib.

FRIDAY: 9 a.m. — centre open. 10 a.m. — needlepoint — keep fit — quilting — macrame. Noon — lunch. 1 p.m. — knitting — 1:30 p.m .— stretch and sew—crochet. 2 p.m. — jacko. 7 p.m. —evening cards.

SATURDAY: 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. — open for drop-ins.

SUNDAY: 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. — open for drop-ins.

Daily — Horseshoes — cards — shuffleboard — library. Morning coffee and afternoon tea served every day Monday to Friday Senior Citizens of the district and visitors welcome.

Highway Completed

MUNICH (Reuter) — A 1,875-mile highway running from Scandinavia to Sicily was completed Friday.

RC WOMEN 'OVERLOOKED' TWO-YEAR STUDY SHOWS

OTTAWA (CP) — Most Rev. Leonard Crowley, auxiliary bishop of Montreal, says that his two-year study on the role of women in the Roman Catholic Church reveals that women want to have their contributions to the church recognized.

"Women are sensitive to the needs of others and have traditionally acted to help others," he said in an interview. "But no matter how important their roles have been, they have tended to be overlooked within the framework of a church run by men."

Although the question of women in the church came up at the Vatican in the mid-1960s, it was mainly through the efforts of Canadian Bishop George B. Flahiff, and his questions about the part women play in the church, that Rome established a committee to study the situation.

Bishop Crowley said there may be individuals in the church who would like to see the ordination of women priests but he has not yet sensed any pressure on this point from women themselves.

In terms of the Scriptures, there is no specific reference to the exclusion of women from the ministry, he said, "but the constant tradition in this area is an indication of the position of the church and you can't dismiss tradition easily."

The bishop said he would be willing to undertake studies on the matter of the ordination of women priests but, beacuse of the complicated nature of the question, a lot of Biblical studies would have to be made before a decision could be reached on the subject.

There are a number of possible ministries to which women can be admitted and Canadian bishops have written to Rome asking that women be admitted to non-ordained ministries such as acolytes and lecturers, the Bishop said.

Telesat Signs With RCA

OTTAWA (FP) — Telesat Canada Corp. of Ottawa, the owners and operator of Canada's domestic communications satellite system, has signed a contract with the Astro-Electronics Division of RCA Corp. of New York for the supply by early 1978 of a $19.1 million hybrid communications satellite.

Making the higher-cost hybrid satellite possible, the federal government has indicated its intention to negotiate a leasing agreement with Telesat for the use of the four special experimental high-frequency telecommunications channels to be included in Canada's fourth satellite.

The four special channels, using frequencies twice that of the other twelve conventional channels on the RCA satellite, will be used to continue Communications Technology Satellite experiments without the need to launch a second, much more expensive CTS satellite, according to John Chapman, assistant deputy minister of the communications department.

RCA Limited of Montreal, RCA Corp.'s Canadian subsidiary, will have a subcontract worth $5.6 million, covering the design and manufacturers of transponders and antennas for the new Telesat satellite.

RCA Ltd. says that the subcontract work on the new satellite will allow the company to keep its year-old satellite integration facility and staff in Montreal fully occupied for the next few years.

The company added that contracts such as these help even out the peaks and troughs which are so frequent and troublesome in Canada's aerospace industry.

CITY AND DISTRICT CHURCHES

GOSPEL CHAPELS

OAKLANDS CHAPEL
Fernwood and Cedar Hill Road
SUNDAY
9:30 a.m.—Breaking of Bread
11:15 a.m.—Sunday School and Family Bible Hour
Speaker—Mr. Peter Foggin of Montreal, Quebec
7 P.M.—Evening Service
Young peoples choir in charge of the service.
THURSDAY
8:00 P.M. Prayer and Bible Study
For information and Counselling Monday through Friday
Office Hours 10-12 a.m.—595-1411

VICTORIA GOSPEL CHAPEL
935 Pandora Ave.
Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
Worship and Breaking of Bread
11:15 a.m. Sunday School and Family Bible Hour
Speaker: Mr. Ron Browne
7:00 p.m. Evening Service
Speaker: Mr. Peter Foggin
Wed. 8 p.m. Prayer and Bible Study

ASSOCIATED GOSPEL CHURCHES

GOSWORTH ROAD Community Church
2845 Gosworth Road
Rev. C. R. McKnight 386-9793
9:45—Sunday School
11:00—Worship Service
7:00—Evening Meeting
Tues. 7:30—Bible Study

EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH

PARKDALE EVAN. FREE CHURCH
1095 Tolmie Ave. 382-7513
SUNDAY
Sunday School—9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship—11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Pastor, Carl Klassen
479-4431 384-3646

PSYCHIC SCIENCE

VICTORIA CENTRE OF PSYCHIC SCIENCE
819 Fort Street
Sundays, 11 a.m.
Worship and Social Fellowship
Clairvoyance at every service
Sunday School—4 to 12 years
Mondays, between 7 and 9 p.m.—Contact Healing
Social and Information period.
Every 1st and 3rd Wednesday monthly
Tea and Psychic Readings—1:30-3:15 p.m.

LUTHERAN

LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE CROSS
Cedar Hill and Cedar Hill Crossroad
Alfred J. C. Johnson, Pastor, 477-3851
10:00 a.m.—Divine Worship Service
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class
The Church Where Families Worship Together.
Evangelical Lutheran Church of Canada (E.L.C.C.—formerly A.L.C.)
Visitors Welcome

Grace LUTHERAN CHURCH
1273 Fort St. 383-5256
Lutheran Church in America
(Across from Central Junior High)
11 A.M.—Worship with Holy Communion
Minister Rev. Ronald Nelson
"Come, let us worship the Lord!"

HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH
MISSOURI SYNOD
1924 Carrick Street off Foul Bay
The Rev. L. M. Carlson, Pastor, 592-2306
Sunday School and Bible Class, 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.
A Church of "The Lutheran Hour" and "This Is the Life"

GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH
2815 Cedar Hill Road
Rev. Fred Knebel, Pastor
10 a.m.—English Service
11 a.m.—German Service
11 a.m.—Sunday School

SPIRITUALIST

OPEN DOOR SPIRITUALIST CHURCH
1600 Cook Street
Sunday Service 7 P.M.
Wednesday 7:30 P.M. HEALING
Xmas Bazaar
Dec. 13 — 2 to 4 P.M.
Welcome To The Friendly Church

UNITARIAN

UNITARIAN CHURCH OF VICTORIA
106 Superior Street
10:30 a.m. "Christmas Lights and Shadows"
Rev. R. J. Norsworthy

SOCIETY OF FRIENDS

SOCIETY OF FRIENDS
(Quakers)
MEETING FOR WORSHIP
SUNDAY, 11 A.M.
VISITORS WELCOME
1831 FERN STREET

ANGLICAN

Christ Church Cathedral
Quadra at Courtney
2 blocks up from Douglas
8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist
9:15 a.m. Church School
9:30 a.m. Family Eucharist
11:00 a.m. Mattins and Sung Eucharist
5:15 p.m. Family Eucharist
6:50 p.m. Two Piano Recital
7:30 p.m. Solemn Evensong
WEEKDAYS
Mattins, 9:00 a.m.
Evensong, 5:15 p.m.
Holy Eucharist:
Tues., Wed., 11:00 a.m.
Thurs., 7:30 a.m., Fri., 12:15 noon
Confessions
Sat., 2-5 p.m. and 6-9 p.m.

St. John's
QUADRA AT MASON
8:00 a.m. Holy Communion
9:30 a.m. Family Service and Sunday School
(Nursery Facilities)
11:00 a.m. Mattins
8 P.M.
CONCERT OF SEASONAL MUSIC
Organ-Choir-Brass
Thursday 10:30 a.m.
Holy Communion

ST. ALBAN'S
Ryan and Belmont
8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion
11:00 a.m. Holy Communion and Sunday School
7:30 p.m. Evensong
WEDNESDAY, 9:30 a.m.
Holy Communion
The Rev. F. W. Hayes

ST. BARNABAS'
Belmont and Begbie
7:45 a.m. Mattins and Holy Communion
9:30 a.m. Eucharist
10:30 a.m. Litany, Sung Mass
7:30 p.m. Evensong
HOLY COMMUNION DAILY
Rector: Canon B. T. Page, M.A.
595-8242

CHURCH OF ST. GEORGE THE MARTYR
Cadboro Bay Road and Maynard Street
Rev. Barry Jenks, 477-0705
Rev. Marlowe Anderson, 388-9039
8:00 a.m. Holy Communion
9:30 a.m. Parish Family Eucharist and Church School
11:00 a.m. Morning Prayer
7:30 p.m. Youth Service—Chancel Drama
"THE WAY OF THE WOLF"
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.
Holy Communion
Thursday 10 a.m.
Holy Communion

St. Luke's
Cor. Cedar Hill and Cedar Hill X Rd.
Rector: The Venerable C.E.F. Wolff
Organist: Dr. Ian L. Bradley
8:00 a.m. HOLY COMMUNION
11:00 a.m. MORNING PRAYER
12:15 p.m. HOLY COMMUNION
7:30 p.m. EVENSONG & SERMON

ST. MARY'S
ELGIN ROAD
The Parish Church of Oak Bay
The Ven. Hywel J. Jones
L.Th., Rector
[illegible]:30 a.m. Holy Communion
9:30 a.m. Family Eucharist
11:00 a.m. Mattins
Preacher:
Reverend D. E. F. Moulden
4:00 p.m.
Malvern and Westerham School's Carol Service
SUNDAY SCHOOL
11:00 a.m. All Departments
THURSDAY
10:30 a.m. Holy Communion

ST. MATTHIAS
Richmond at Richardson
Rector
Rev. W. E. Greenhalgh, LTh.
Assistant
Rev. David Fuller, B.Sc., M.Div
8:00 a.m. Holy Communion
10:30 a.m. Mattins
Church School and Nursery
Preacher: Bishop S. C. Steer
7:30 p.m. Meditations
Thursdays:
10:30 a.m. Holy Communion

St. Peter's
ANGLICAN CHURCH
Serving the Lake Hill Community
9:00 a.m. Holy Communion
10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist and Sunday School
Rev. W. B. Mundy, 382-4848

St. Philips
Neil Street and Eastdowne Road
Rector—Rev. D. Neil Robinson
8:00 a.m. Holy Communion
9:30 a.m. Family Eucharist
11:00 a.m. Morning Prayer
7:30 p.m.—All in a Family
Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.
Holy Communion
Thursday, 10:00 a.m.
Holy Communion

UNITED

FIRST UNITED CHURCH
Quadra at Balmoral
11:00 A.M.
MORNING WORSHIP
3rd Sunday in Advent
"PUT ON THE SPOT!"
Rev. Hugh M. Hunter
Church-School students attend first part of service and then proceed to classes.
Nursery and Toddler Facilities Available
5:00 P.M.
CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTMAS DINNER
7:30 P.M.
CHRISTMAS PROGRAM BY CHOIRS

METROPOLITAN UNITED CHURCH
Pandora at Quadra Street
Ministers:
Rev. A. E. King, B.A., D.D.
Rev. E. L. Butler, B.A., S.T.M.
Rev. A. Calder, B.A.
11:00 a.m.
WHITE GIFT SERVICE
and
NATIVITY PAGEANT
(Presentation of money and children's clothing)
7:30 p.m.
THE CAROLS OF CHRISTMAS
Rev. E. L. Butler
Choir Director: Don Kyle, B.A., B.Ed.
Organist: Ursula Thomas, L.R.S.M.

CENTENNIAL UNITED CHURCH
Gorge Road at David Street
(Opp. Colony Motor Inn)
Minister: Rev. John Travis
11:00 A.M.
CHRISTMAS WHITE GIFT SERVICE
Organist:
Ian R. Westmacott, A.R.C.T.

ST. AIDAN'S UNITED CHURCH
Richmond at Cedar Hill X Road
Ministers: Rev. J. Rae Allan
Rev. Clare Holmes
Music Director: Vera Barclay
9:30 and 11:00 a.m.
MORNING WORSHIP
Advent Candle Ceremony
9:30 a.m. All Sunday School Classes
Nursery Provided

OAK BAY UNITED
Mitchell and Granite
Minister: Rev. W. Van Druten
Organist: R. Kroeger
Youth Director: Ron Fuller
9:30 a.m. Church School
11:00 a.m. White Gift Service
7:00 p.m. CGIT Vesper Service
Kindergarten Nursery 11 a.m.

belmont avenue united church
2023 Belmont at Pembroke
595-4796
Rev. Robert F. McPherson
11:00 a.m., Morning Service
Church School and Youth Groups

CADBORO BAY UNITED
2625 ARBUTUS ROAD
10 a.m.
Dr. BOB McLAREN
CHRISTMAS STORY
Everyone bring their lunch and share in a family party after the service.
10 a.m.—Sunday School
Nursery Service Provided

ESQUIMALT UNITED CHURCH
500 Admirals
11:00 a.m.
Church and Church School
7:30 p.m.
CGIT VESPER SERVICE
We Care

FAIRFIELD UNITED CHURCH
Corner Moss and Fairfield Rd.
10:00 a.m. Family Service
11 a.m. Rev. Wm. Taylor
(Nursery for Children)

A Warm Welcome for You at
GORDON HEAD UNITED CHURCH
Corner of Tyndall and San Juan
11:00 A.M.
"OUR GREATEST NEEDS"
Church School and Nursery
Rev. Franck Patterson, 477-6505

GARDEN CITY UNITED
4054 Carey Road
10 a.m.
Church School
WHITE GIFT SERVICE
Rev. Geoffrey G. Smith
598-6170

James Bay United
511 Michigan St.
A friendly church serving the whole community since 1891.
Rev. R. H. Dobson, Minister
9:30 a.m. Sunday School and Family service
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship

YOUR HOROSCOPE

By SYDNEY OMARR

Astrological Forecast for Sunday, Dec. 14, 1975

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Slow pace — do homework. Become aware of basic issues. Avoid speculative procedures. Stick to facts — base figures on what you know, not what others might project. Accent on protecting security, possessions, money, Aquarius, Leo and Scorpio could be in picture.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Lunar cycle coincides with impatience to get started — also with opposition from "unorthodox" sources. Don't get caught off guard. Be ready for surprises that could include actions of partner, mate. Family member gets in touch by "long distance."

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Low-key approach serves best purposes. Study Aries message for valid hint. Correct mistake made recently at home base. If you make intelligent concession, if not an apology, you gain allies and prestige. One behind the scenes is trying to decide regarding your capabilities.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Friends who make promises could be sincere, but lack necessary clout or equipment. Know it; prepare accordingly. See people as they are, not merely as you would like them to be. Pisces, Virgo individuals could figure prominently.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Pressure, responsibility, added control over your own actions — these indications are emphasized. If you delegate duties, decisions, you invite error. Know it and act accordingly. Professional superior could confide problem.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept 22): Finish rather than begin project. Deal with active, fiery persons. Be sure of quotations, facts, figures. Some persons want to draw you into senseless controversy. Have none of it. One who is attracted to you may suggest a clandestine meeting.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): What appears to be a money loss could be recouped. Instead of depression, begin outline of program aimed at reconstruction. Leo, Aquarius could figure prominently. Get to heart of matters. Face truth and be stronger as result.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Collect needed data. Be conservative in statements, actions. Public relations may be more important now than in recent past. Check legal documents. Read fine print. Refuse to be painted into corner, emotional or otherwise.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Highlight ability to see various points of view. Emphasize balance, justice. Social activity indicated — some of your intellectual curiosity is satisfied. Questions are answered. Check format, reservations, long-range plans. There have been better days for travel.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Some of your natural abilities, talents are utilized. You can make solid gains. Accent on esteem, creativity, deciding whether a relationship is "worth it." One who seeks a favor is careless with your money.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Be ready to answer questions. Have pertinent material at hand. Be aware of possibility of "hidden clause." You get nothing for nothing. Know it and put "tooth fairy" to rest. Professional superior asks for a consultation.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Take special care in traffic. Steer clear of argumentative persons, including aggressive relatives. Taurus, Libra could be in picture. Be as diplomatic as possible without abandoning principles. You'll understand.

IF DEC. 14 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY you love to "dig into" story, research project. You are inquisitive, fond of travel, attractive, restless. Gemini, Virgo persons could play important roles in your life. You will be on more solid ground in 1976 — April will be a most significant month. Cycle is moving up and success factor will be emphasized.

Astrological Forecast for Monday, Dec. 15, 1975

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Questions concerning money, basic values are answered. Don't be satisfied to know merely that something occurred — find out why it happened. Your rights, abilities are due for greater recognition. Gemini, Virgo could figure prominently.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Lunar cycle is high — trust intuition, judgment. Timing is sharp — circumstances favor your efforts. you can make amends of family member for recent slight, imagined or otherwise. Gift purchase now would be good — and bargain is available.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): What occurs behind the scenes is more important now than usual. Key is to be perceptive, discreet, unafraid to peer through darkness. Visit to special club, institute or hospital may be on agenda. You learn lessons which can be transformed into profit.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Accent on friendship, gain through social contacts ability to transform wishes into realities. You get more responsibility and opportunity for greater rewards. Capricorn is in picture and so is legal document.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Spotlight on career, ambition, standing in community, professional superiors. You are able now to furnish, to close transaction, to let go of losing proposition. Aries, Libra could figure prominently. Be direct — take cold plunge into future.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Good Moon aspect coincides now with long-distance communication, travel, education and publication of special data. New start in new direction could enable you to get to heart of matters. Leo could play key role.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Occult or hidden matters could command attention. Taxes, credits, debits, finances as they affect partner or mate — these are spotlighted. Learn by teaching — follow through on hunch. Rise above petty bickering within family circle.

SCORPIO (Oct.23-Nov. 21): Accent on partnership, legal agreement, including marriage. Lie low — do plenty of listening, observing. Don't rush to any decision. Time is on your side. Know it and play waiting game. Be versatile, flexible, willing to laugh at your own foibles.

SAGGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Check with one who understands figures, acts, numbers. Creative accountant can aid in resolving apparent dilemma. Accent on work, health, people who perform special services. Employment picture could be spotlighted.

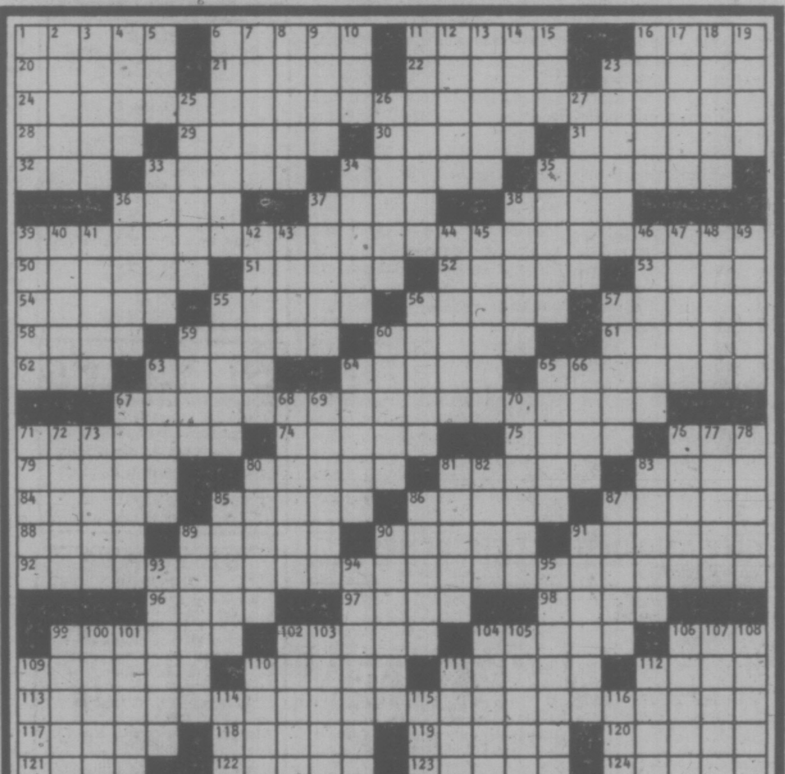
CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Moon aspect highlights creativity, change, love, romance, ability to communicate with children. Gemini, Virgo and Sagittarius could figure prominently. A message, apparently minor is more significant than might be imagined at first glance.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Be specific, direct, especially where home and family are concerned. Get valid property appraisal. Deal with verified information. Taurus, Libra figure prominently. Money and how it gets that way are examined.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): You may be exchanging messages with close neighbor or relative. You learn difference between wish and actuality. You can perfect technique, define terms. Another Piscean—and a Virgo—could play key roles.

IF DEC. 15 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY you are artistic, musical, sensitive, hungry for knowledge, frank, truthful, high-principled and temperamental. Taurus, Libra individuals play important roles in your life. You'll be happier in 1976, more free, creative, and your most significant months will be March and December.

WEEKLY PUZZLE



ACROSS

1 Caesar, e.g.
6 Bagpipe sound
11 Miss Drew of films
16 Collars
20 Wasting no time
21 Neighbor of Lydia
22 Inclined
23 Marshall Islands group
24 Tom, Dick and Harry
28 Alibi and DDE
29 Jim-dandies
30 Beasts of burden
31 Ragged
32 Ger. article
33 Weasel, in August
34 Eye ailments
35 Mall units
36 Openers, maybe
37 — trap
38 Ill-gotten riches
39 Tom, Dick and Harry
50 Disinclined
51 Part of New Guinea
52 Comeback
53 Sounds of disgust
54 Suburb of Paris
55 Type unit
56 Baseball stratagems
57 Pet dogs, for short
58 Feminine ending
59 Gem facet
60 Fellows
61 Rugged crest
62 Fr. pronoun
63 Secure
64 Arctic wear
65 Oriental skyline features
67 Tom, Dick and Harry
71 Filters
74 Fr. decree
75 Encumbrance
76 Recognition of applause
79 Is party to
80 Climbing plants
81 Lost freshness
83 Downcast
84 Frowns: var.
85 "The way of a lad with —"
86 Diets successfully
87 Faculty VIPs
88 Sicilian commune
89 —'s own (unaided)
90 TV comedy show
91 Cavort
92 Tom, Dick and Harry
96 Man
97 Stirs up
98 Transported with love
99 Fodder
102 Fracture aids
104 Ladd role
106 Culminate
109 Wear
110 Of wax
111 Thespian's milieu
112 Places
113 Tom, Dick and Harry
117 Shore recess
118 Atelier necessity
119 Novelist John le —
120 Strain
121 Provender
122 Man of Lulea
123 Nuclear explosion
124 Largest asteroid

DOWN

1 Toothsome
2 A pig in —
3 Optical device
4 N.T. book
5 — volente
6 Casa mistress
7 Chosen
8 Like xenon
9 Assemblies
10 — - Tse
11 Delightful
12 Hire
13 Kegler's milieu
14 Terminates
15 Ultimate degree
16 Consumer's champion
17 See 86 D
18 Hop stems
19 Decorticate
23 Elope
25 Attention
26 Cane for wickerwork
27 Expenditure
33 Impertinent
34 — ease (make comfortable)
35 Purveys
36 Intrinsically
37 Keep within limits
38 Trapper's bag
39 Mocks
40 Eggshaped
41 Fits one inside the other
42 Reddish blue
43 Buffalo's waterfront
44 Tosspots
45 Diminutive
46 Fairy king
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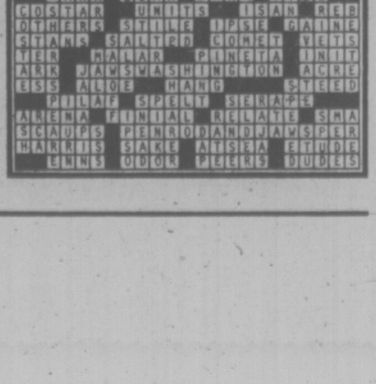

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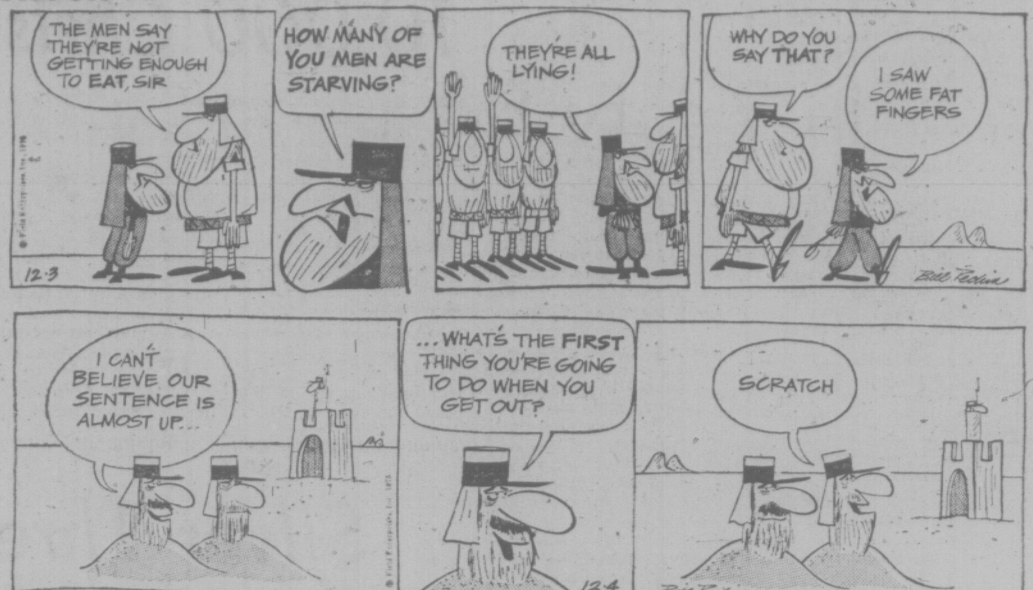
THE MEN SAY THEY'RE NOT GETTING ENOUGH TO EAT, SIR
HOW MANY OF YOU MEN ARE STARVING?
THEY'RE ALL LYING!
WHY DO YOU SAY THAT?
I SAW SOME FAT FINGERS
12-3
Bill Rechin
I CAN'T BELIEVE OUR SENTENCE IS ALMOST UP...
...WHAT'S THE FIRST THING YOU'RE GOING TO DO WHEN YOU GET OUT?
SCRATCH
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Bill Rechin

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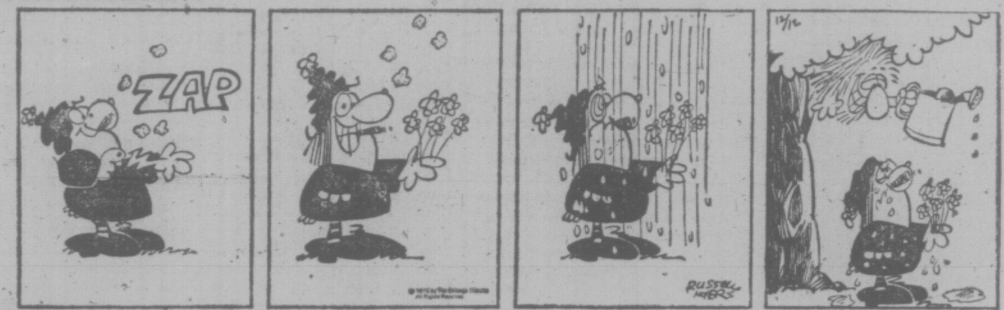
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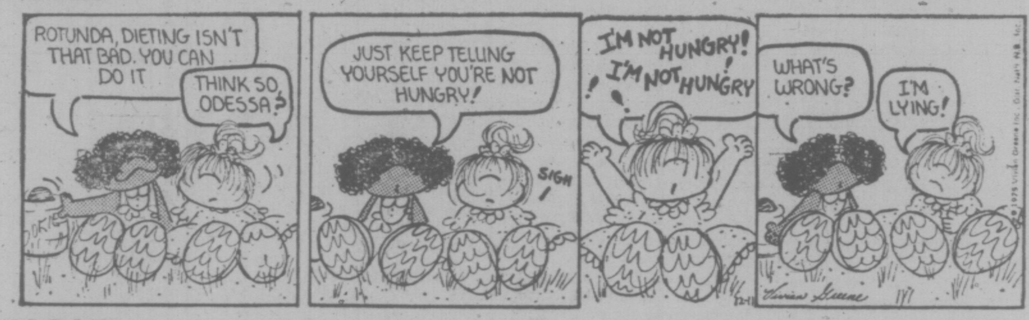
ROTUNDA, DIETING ISN'T THAT BAD. YOU CAN DO IT
THINK SO, ODESSA?
JUST KEEP TELLING YOURSELF YOU'RE NOT HUNGRY!
SIGH
I'M NOT HUNGRY! I'M NOT HUNGRY
WHAT'S WRONG?
I'M LYING!
Vivian Greene

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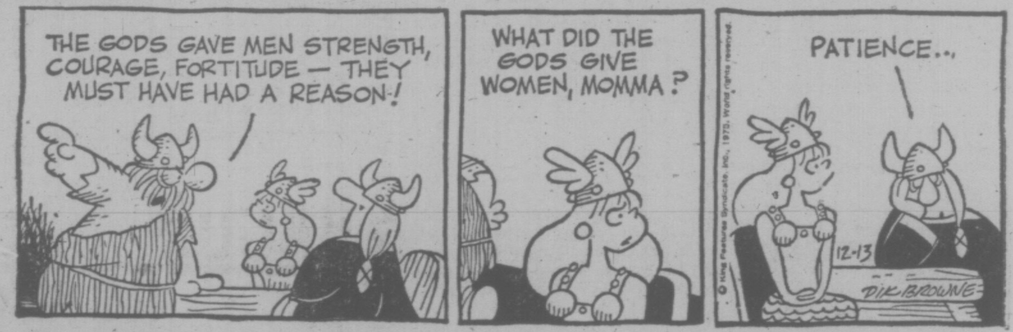
THE GODS GAVE MEN STRENGTH, COURAGE, FORTITUDE — THEY MUST HAVE HAD A REASON!
WHAT DID THE GODS GIVE WOMEN, MOMMA?
PATIENCE...
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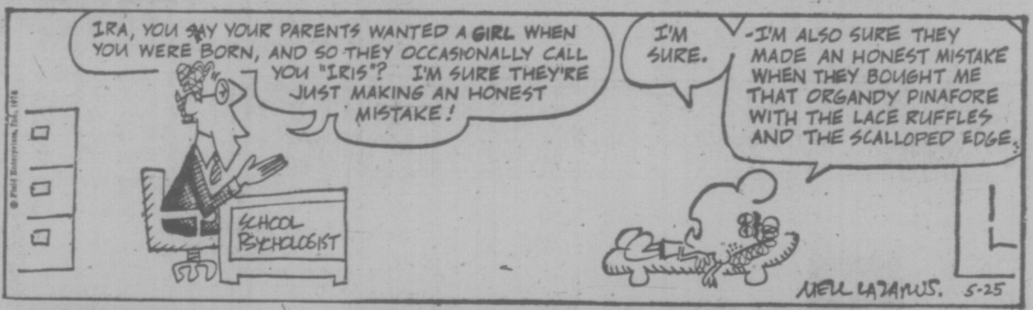
DIK BROWNE

MISS PEACH


IRA, YOU SAY YOUR PARENTS WANTED A GIRL WHEN YOU WERE BORN, AND SO THEY OCCASIONALLY CALL YOU "IRIS"? I'M SURE THEY'RE JUST MAKING AN HONEST MISTAKE!
I'M SURE.
-I'M ALSO SURE THEY MADE AN HONEST MISTAKE WHEN THEY BOUGHT ME THAT ORGANDY PINAFORE WITH THE LACE RUFFLES AND THE SCALLOPED EDGE.
SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGIST
MELL LAZARUS. 5-25

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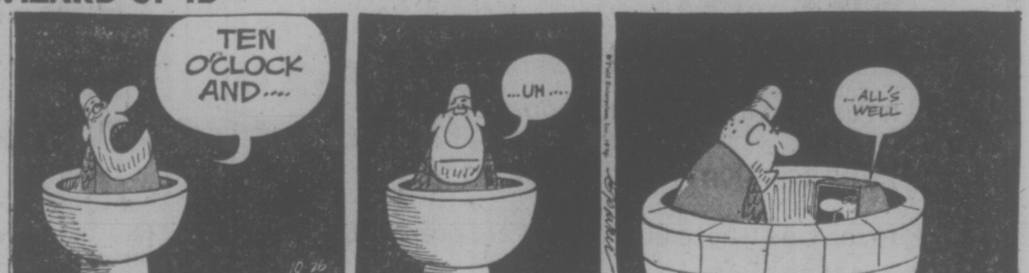
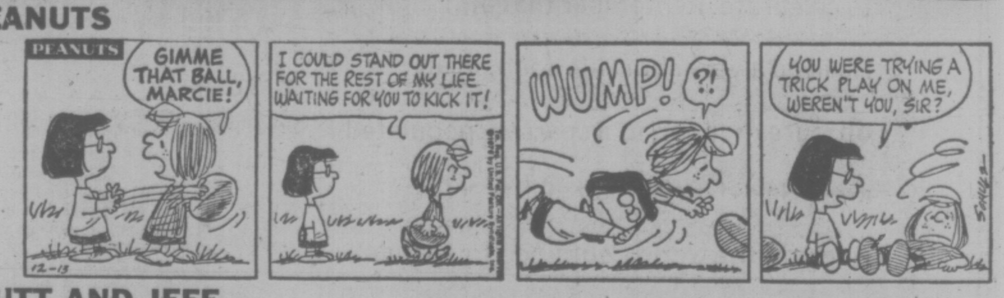
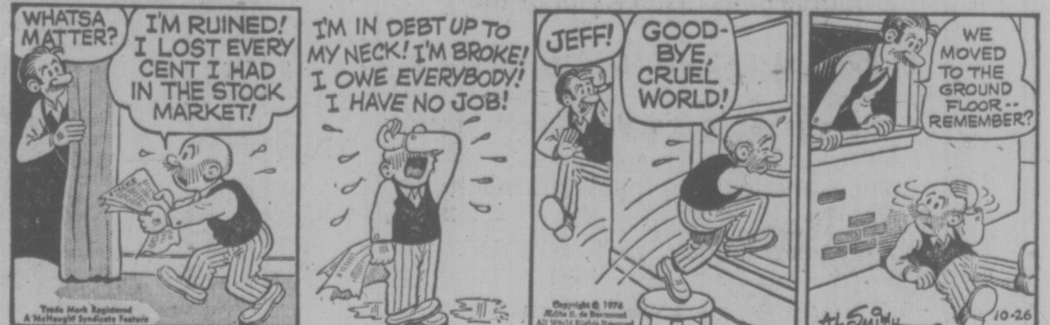

TEN O'CLOCK AND....
...UH....
...ALL'S WELL
10-26

PEANUTS


PEANUTS
GIMME THAT BALL, MARCIE!
I COULD STAND OUT THERE FOR THE REST OF MY LIFE WAITING FOR YOU TO KICK IT!
WUMP!
?!
YOU WERE TRYING A TRICK PLAY ON ME, WEREN'T YOU, SIR?
12-13
SCHULZ

MUTT AND JEFF


WHATSA MATTER?
I'M RUINED! I LOST EVERY CENT I HAD IN THE STOCK MARKET!
I'M IN DEBT UP TO MY NECK! I'M BROKE! I OWE EVERYBODY! I HAVE NO JOB!
JEFF!
GOOD-BYE, CRUEL WORLD!
WE MOVED TO THE GROUND FLOOR -- REMEMBER?
AL SMITH
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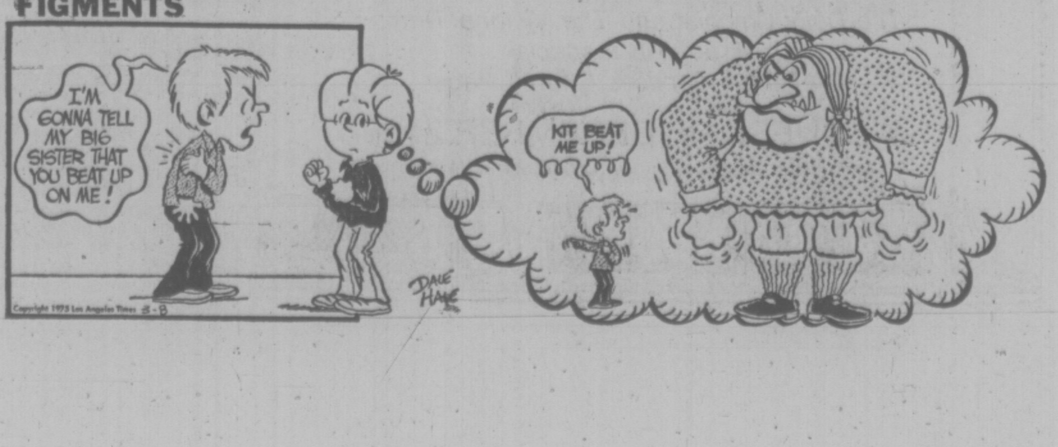
I'M GONNA TELL MY BIG SISTER THAT YOU BEAT UP ON ME!
KIT BEAT ME UP!
DAVE HAGE

Crown May Appeal Sentences In 2 City Extortion Cases

Regional Crown Counsel Wally Anderson said Friday he has recommended to the attorney-general that appeals be launched against county court sentences in two recent extortion cases.

The appeal recommendation was made because, in the circumstances, the sentence of two years less a day in jail were "too low," he said.

If appeals are launched, they will be heard by the B.C. Court of Appeal in Vancouver.

James Archie Hancock, 34, was sentenced Wednesday by Judge L. F. Cashman to two years less a day in jail after being found guilty of attempting to extort $100,000 March 27 from Vincent Fourt, manager of the Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce at Hillside Shopping Centre, by threats to harm his daughter, Deanna, who was then 14.

Judge Cashman sentenced Gilles Paul Proulx, 30, to two years less a day in jail Oct. 31 after Proulx was found guilty of inducting Edgar McBride, manager of the Toronto Dominion Bank, 1080 Douglas, by threat, to pay $9,000 but intended to extort $100,000 on Jan. 9.

The judge said, in sentencing Hancock to the same term as Proulx, that he would have sentenced Proulx to "considerably more" than two years less a day in jail but for an understanding of a B.C. Court of Appeal case which "turned out to be quite wrong."

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BEFORE THE JUDGE

Stanley Arthur Johnson, 48, of 724 Yates, voiced a familiar excuse before Judge D. K. McAdam fined him $25 in provincial court Friday for willful damage.

"I guess I had too much to drink," he said, pleading guilty to the charge of causing $20.18 damage to a telephone whose cable he pulled from a wall.

Police said Johnson was arrested in the 700 block of Yates after Violet Kent, 1417 Douglas, complained of having trouble with a guest at her apartment. Johnson yanked the phone connection to prevent Kent from calling police, court was told.

McAdam asked whether the complainant was still a friend.

"Yes," Johson replied.

He was ordered to pay B.C. Telephone for the repairs.

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Shoplifting two necklaces and a box of aspirin cost Doreen Deighton, 47, of 2035 Townley, $25 fine.

She could offer no suitable reason why she stole the items worth $39.38 from Hudson's Bay Co. Dec. 2, except that she was under stress of a son's illness, the prosecutor said.

It was also pointed out that her husband is disabled and is on superannuation, but she did not need to steal and felt remorse for her action.

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A trial date of April 12 was set for Robert Roelof Zeilstra, 19, of 525 Johnson, after he pleaded not guilty to a charge of stealing a wallet and impersonating a peace officer.

Earlier in the day, Zeilstra failed to appear when his name was called in court but his lawyer, Roger Cardinal, said he was being returned from the U.S.

Court was told the accused was picked up in the Port Angeles area Thursday after piloting an outboard motorboat rented at Oak Bay Marina across Juan de Fuca Strait.

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Norfolk and Retailers Trust and Savings Co. and Allan Bradford Wolfe were fined $250 and $50 respectively after a trial before Judge F. S. Green.

They were convicted of engaging in the practice of law last June by offering for gain to draw a will.

Guild Back To 5 Days

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Editorial and commercial employees of the Washington Star, who agreed to work a four-day week nearly a year ago to help the newspaper out of its financial trouble, will return to a normal work week Dec. 21, the newspaper announced today.

The agreement between the Star and the Washington-Baltimore Newspaper Guild also provides for an extension of the guild contract that expired Dec. 8. Guildsmen will continue working during negotiations.

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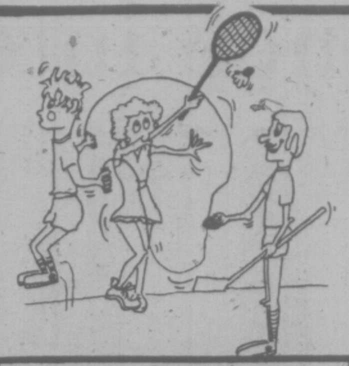

Oak Bay Parks and Recreation
Recreation Programme Guide

for HENDERSON PARK and
COMMUNITY RECREATION PROGRAMMES

WINTER 1976—JANUARY TO APRIL

DON'T BE LEFT OUT IN THE COLD!!!! REGISTER EARLY AT:
HENDERSON PARK RECREATION CENTRE
2291 CEDAR HILL X ROAD

YOUTH PROGRAMMES: December 18th, 9:00-9:00 p.m.
ADULT PROGRAMMES: December 19th, 9:00-9:00 p.m.
ALL PROGRAMMES: December 22nd, 23rd, 9:00-5:00 p.m.

Legend for Recreation Activity Programmes
HPRC—Henderson Park Recreation Centre.
OBJS—Oak Bay Junior Secondary, 2101 Cadboro Bay Road
OBSS—Oak Bay Senior Secondary, 2151 Cranmore Road
WINDSOR—Windsor Park Pavilion, 2451 Windsor Road
WILLOWS—Willows Elementary School, 2290 Musgrave St.

* ALL PROGRAMMES ARE 12 WEEKS IN LENGTH UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED *

PROGRAMME	PLACE	AGE	DAY	TIME	COST
Archery Instruction	HPRC	12 and over	Tuesday	7:00-9:00 p.m.	$20
Badminton Instruction					
—Beg. and Intermed.	HPRC	10-14	Saturday	9:00-10:30 a.m.	$5
—Beg. and Intermed.	HPRC	Adults	Saturday	12:30-2:00 p.m.	$7.50
—Advanced	HPRC	14 and over	Saturday	10:30-noon	$5
Badminton					
—Recreational	HPRC	Adults	Tues. and/ or Thurs.	1:00-3:00 p.m.	$8/once/week $12/twice/week
	OBJS	Adults	Tues. and/ or Thurs.	8:00-10:30 p.m.	$8/once/week $12/twice/week
	OBSS	Everyone	Saturday	10:00 a.m.-noon	$9
Ballroom Dancing	HPRC	18 and over	Tuesday	8:00-9:30 p.m.	$30/couple 10 sess.
Basketball	HPRC	Girls 13-15	Thursday	4:00-5:00 p.m.	$5
	HPRC	Boys 13-15	Wednesday	4:00-5:00 p.m.	$5
Basketball and Volleyball	HPRC	Adults	Wednesday	7:30-9:30 p.m.	$10
Bridge					
—Beginners (Part 2)	HPRC	Adult	Wednesday	8:15-10:00 p.m.	$13
—Intermediate	HPRC	Adult	Friday	1:00-3:00 p.m.	$13
Canvas Work and Barjello	HPRC	Adult	Monday	1:00-3:00 p.m.	$15
Crafts for Children	HPRC	8-10	Saturday	1:00-2:15 p.m.	$5
	HPRC	10-12	Saturday	9:30-10:45 a.m.	$5
Creative Drama	Windsor	6-8	Saturday	10:00-11:00 a.m.	$6
	Windsor	9-12	Saturday	11:30-12:30 p.m.	$6
Creative Expression	HPRC	5-7	Saturday	*11:00 a.m.-noon	$5
Family, Fitness and Fun (No pre-registration required)	HPRC	Everyone	Sunday	2:30-4:30 p.m.	$1/ family/ week
Folk Dance					
—Beginners	HPRC	6-10	Wednesday	4:00-5:00 p.m.	$5
—Intermediates	HPRC	8-14	Tuesday	7:00-8:00 p.m.	$5
Floor Hockey	OBSS	9-14	Saturday	1:00-3:00 p.m.	$.25/ session
Guitar Instruction	Windsor	All ages	Thursday	7:30-8:30 p.m.	$9
Gymnastics					
Tots	HPRC	5-7	Mon. or Tues.	4:00-5:00 p.m.	$5
Boys and Girls	OBSS	10-14	Saturday	2:15-3:15 p.m.	$8
Boys and Girls	OBSS	6-9	Saturday	1:00-2:00 p.m.	$8
Boys	HPRC	8-12	Friday	4:00-5:00 p.m.	$5
Girls	HPRC	8-12	Friday	4:00-5:00 p.m.	$5
Youth	HPRC	13-16	Saturday	4:00-5:00 p.m.	$7.50
Hand Pottery	HPRC	8-13	Monday	4:00-5:00 p.m.	$7.50
	Windsor	9-13	Saturday	10:00-12:00 noon	$10
Keep Fit	HPRC	Women's	Tues. and Fri.	9:00-10:00 a.m.	$7.50
Kindergym	HPRC	2-4	Mon. or Wed.	9:45-10:45 a.m.	$4
	HPRC	2-4	Mon. or Wed.	10:45-11:45 a.m.	$4
	HPRC	2-4	Mon. or Wed.	1:00-2:00 p.m.	$4
	HPRC	2-4	Mon. or Wed.	2:00-3:00 p.m.	$4
Leatherwork	HPRC	11-14	Thursday	7:00-8:00 p.m.	$7.50
Macrame, Batik and Leatherwork	HPRC	10-14	Saturday	2:30-4:00 p.m.	$7.50
Macrame and Hand Pottery	HPRC	Adult	Tuesday	1:00-3:00 p.m.	$20
	HPRC	Adult	Thursday	7:30-9:30 p.m.	$20
Oil Painting					
—Beginners	HPRC	Adult	Wednesday	1:00-3:00 p.m.	$15
—Advanced	HPRC	Adult	Thursday	1:00-3:00 p.m.	$15
Photography	Windsor	Everyone	Wednesday	7:30-9:00 p.m.	$15
Pre-School Art Programme	Windsor	3-5	Thurs.	10:00-11:30 a.m.	$6
Racquet Night	HPRC	Adult	Sunday	7:00-10:00 p.m.	$10
Sketch and Paint	HPRC	10-14	Monday	6:30-8:00 p.m.	$7.50
Slim and Trim	HPRC	Women's	Mon. and Thurs.	7:00-8:00 p.m.	$7.50
Table Tennis	Willows	All ages	Tues. and/ or Thurs.	7:30-10:30 p.m.	$7/once/week $12/twice/week
Tennis					
—Intermediate	HPRC	Adult	Tuesday	10:00-11:00 a.m.	$8/8 weeks
—Intermediate	HPRC	Adult	Thursday	10:15-11:15 a.m.	$8/8 weeks
—Beginners	HPRC	Adult	Thursday	9:15-10:15 a.m.	$8/8 weeks
Women's Sports Smorgasbord	HPRC	Women's	Friday	10:00-11:00 a.m.	$7.50
Yoga					
—Level 1	HPRC	12 and over	Monday	8:15-9:30 p.m.	$10
—Level 1	HPRC	Adult	Tuesday	10:15-11:30 a.m.	$10
—Level 2	HPRC	12 and over	Wednesday	6:45-8:00 p.m.	$10
Youth Sports Drop In (No pre-registration required)	HPRC	11-16	Friday	7:00-9:00 p.m.	$.25/session
	HPRC	8-13	Saturday	2:00-4:00 p.m.	$.25/session

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SWIMMING

1:[illegible]6:00	Everyone Welcome
(4:30- 6:00)	Snorkel Time
6:30- 8:00	Family Swim
8:15- 9:45	Teen Swim

SKATING

3:15- 4:45	Everyone Welcome
8:15- 9:45	Teen Skating

SUNDAY

SWIMMING

1:00- 7:30	Everyone Welcome
(5:00- 7:00)	Snorkel Time
8:00-10:00	Adult Swim

SKATING

1:15- 2:45	Family Skating
3:00- 7:45	Everyone Welcome
8:00-10:00	Adult Skating

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SUNDAY NIGHT MIXED — 9:15 p.m.

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Southwest France interesting area

By DIANA LOERCHER

LE PERIGORD, France (CMS) — When one thinks of southern France it is the southeast — Provence and the Riviera — that come to mind. But despite their indisputable attractions, this does an injustice to the lesser known southwest, running from Bordeaux to the Massif Central.

The region north of Toulouse and south of Limoges offers to the traveler a provincial blend of unusual cultural, gustatory, and scenic delights.

The region is the ancient province of Perigord, which became part of Aquitaine under the English rule of Henri Pantagenet and Eleanor during the 12th century, and currently encompasses the "department" of Dordogne, bounded on the north by Limousin and the south by Quercy.

Dordogne takes its name from the majestic river that flows east into the Gironde, which also feeds the Garonne. It formed the border between France and England during the Hundred Years' War and, as a result of the strife, chateaux and fortresses spout like natural growths from the towering cliffs.

A friendly resident of Domme

For an enthusiast of the Middle Ages, the area is a garden of historical delights, a paradise of chateaux that loom around almost every curve, medieval villages, Romanesque churches, and even Roman ruins.

The medieval towns most deserving of a visit are Domme, Sarlat, Collonges, and Rocamodour. Domme, one of the oldest cities in the Perigord, dating from the 13th century, offers a glorious view of the Dordogne, and caves with interesting stalactite formations in which the inhabitants took refuge during the Hundred Years' War.

But of more importance than Domme's highlights or its history is simply its mood. A diminutive town with tiny winding streets barely wide enough for a car to pass and squat houses made of ocher-colored stone, Domme seems to borrow its light, airy quaintness from its perch close to the sun and the sky.

Sarlat, a few kilometers to the north, is both a more impressive and oppressive example of a medieval town.

Whereas Domme is low and spacious, Sarlat is high and dense, with closely packed, vertical stone buildings casting long shadows.

It is dark and damp, claustrophic and primitive, a maze of alleys leading up the hill past the birthplace of Etienne La Boetie, judge, writer, and friend of Montaigne, and the bizarre beehive tower known as the Lantern of Death, where St. Bernard supposedly performed a miracle.

The architecture is well preserved, and the twisted streets reward the intrepid walker with unpredictable sights but rob him of romantic images. There is nothing like a walk through Sarlat to make one appreciate not only medieval architecture but modern conveniences.

Collonges, northwest in the Limousin, is another matter, a ruby of a city in an emerald setting. Made of red granite, the tiny town radiates a rosy glow in the sunlight, a purplish one in the rain, and in all weathers has the enchanted aura of a fairy tale.

Most of the residents are descended from the original founders and live much as their ancestors did.

An exquisite pre-Romanesque 12-century church survives in the centre of Collonges across from the marketplace, and much of the surrounding architecture reflects a Tudor influences.

Rocamadour is a nice place to visit but you wouldn't want to live there — unless you like to climb stairs. Named after the legendary St. Amadour who lived in the rocks, Rocamadour is built into a cliff approximately 500 feet high, the site of churches and an extraordinary fortress.

One can reach the dizzying heights by following the only road through the city and climbing 216 steps, which pilgrims somttimes mount on their hands and knees — or tourists by taking the elevator.

If you can blind yourself to the tacky souvenir shops that line the street, you can absorb something of the genuine religious atmosphere of Rocamadour.

The other great attraction here in the Perigord are the caves, in which are prehistoric paintings and engravings of animals.

Les Eyzies, along the banks of the Vezere River, is known as the world capital of prehistory, with dozens of prehistoric sites and ornamented caves in the area. The most famous, Lascaux, is unfortunately closed to protect the paintings, but a number of others, notably Font-degaume, Combarelles, and Rouffignac, are open.

Anyone who falls under the spell of the paintings would do well to visit the museums in Les Eyzies and Thonac and travel south to Pech Merle in the Lot Valley, where the mysterious paintings of hands are found, and to Altamira in northern Spain.

The area is also a bonanza for spelunkers and geologists, for it abounds in caves and gorges with astounding rock formations.

Also formidable in impact is the food of the region. One can savor in the Perigord gastronomic delicacies that are difficult if not impossible to obtain anywhere else in the world, foremost among them truffles, underground mushrooms that look like lumps of coal and taste like juicy nuts. Known as "black diamonds" they are hunted by pigs and dogs at the foot of oak trees in the winter months, a sight worth seeking out.

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Turkey small sensation for skiing

By RAINER DEGLMANN-SCHWARZ

Culture- and art-conscious vacationers on the trail of the Hittites, Assyrians, Phoenicians, and Romans always have found Turkey a highly interesting land,

But as a goal for skiing, Turkey is nothing short of a small sensation — even for one who is acquainted with all the slopes between Mont Blanc and Aspen.

Just before Bursa (40 miles from Yalova on the Marmara Sea) the head of Mt. Ulu Dag can be seen rearing up through fog and mist.

Named Mount Olympus by the Greeks, the ski mountain is a broad-shouldered block of about 7,500 feet; its lower part is heavily forested, but up above the snow sparkles auspiciously — quite a contrast to Bursa, a typically southern city with its flat, red-tiled roofs, cedars, cypresses, and minarets.

Bursa is said to have been established at the initiative of Hannibal, who found refuge with King Prusias, from whom the name of the city is derived.

Bursa, with its large caravansary, was known as an important centre of trade; its camel markets were famous, and no less celebrated were its thermal springs, already renowned at the time of the Romans.

The city has many treasures from that epoch, among which is the Green Mosque, its green and blue ceramic tiles bearing magnificent testimony to Ottoman art.

From Bursa the road winds steeply up to the Ulu Dag ski area. Between 2,400 and 3,000 feet one finds the first snow, which increases measurably in depth higher on the mountain.

Then comes Ulu Dag itself: Three to six feet of snow, six lifts, six hotels in Alpine architectural style with 1,000 beds, sporting goods stores, discotheques — in fact this Asian ski centre seems to have been built in Bavarian mountain style.

There are 45 ski instructors at Ulu Dag, and there is no complaint on record about unemployment, although Turkey has only 15,000 skiers. For the average Turk, skiing is absolutely foreign and prohibitively expensive — an all-day lift pass costs $8; a hotel with two meals, $20.

The highest point accessible by lift is Kusaklikaya, at 6,900 feet. From here the ski slope extends through a softly rolling, treeless snowy landscape. Although the mountains attain heights of up to 7,500 feet, they have the definite character of hill country, lacking any kind of Alpine formations.

The Kusaklikaya trail (length 2 miles, with a 1,200-foot vertical drop) is advertised as a real thriller, with a fast steep slope on the upper half. The slopes served by the other lifts are simple, intended primarily for beginners.

Ulu Dag's great ski show, a spectacle of the first magnitude, takes place day after day on two practice slopes. Here the Turkish skiing population races, skis, and falls down happily in colorful confusion. With all the screeching and yelling the scene could be lifted straight from Istanbul's main street.

Just as bizarre as the happenings on the ski slopes is the attire of the skiing public, for right beside the latest ski fashion one also finds the dashing desert look; it often seems as if many participants jumped down from their camels right onto skis.

On safari in the Amazon jungle

By STAN DELAPLANE

It will cost you a hundred dollars for three days in the Amazon jungle. You trade with painted, blowgun Indians who can shrink your head to the size of a walnut. You sweat in sauna bath heat. But when you get home, man, you're the only Jungle Jim on your block.

You begin from Iquitos in Peru for the canoe ride up river. The night is in the steamy mid-eighties. Humidity 85. A palm thatch roof keeps off rain that comes in rattling cloudbursts.

The Amazon current is swift here. You don't trail your fingers in the warm water. They have alligators and piranha fish that will take your arm off at the elbow.

In the bend of the river an orange glow grows into kerosene lights in a compound of thatched-roof houses on stilts.

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People are fed into the camps by AeroPeru, a new airline that's just started service from Los Angeles via Mexico City to Lima. Group of ten cuts the river tab down to $90 each.

They come in all kinds of gear. We had one chap with a safari jacket and pith helmet.

You don't want elaborate things. What you do want are things you can use and throw away. Two dollar tennis shoes from the supermarket bargain barrel. Old jeans. Worn out T-shirts. Light loose long sleeve shirts.

Nothing dries here. Mold and mildew move in overnight. You need a supply of plastic lunch baggies. Not for wet clothes. To keep your dry ones dry.

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A handful of sweat bands from a tennis shop for head and wrists. Otherwise you wipe yourself with your T-shirt, wring it out and it's time to start all over again.

A raincoat is too hot. An umbrella's awkward. You want a tissue-thin poncho with a hood.

This flight came here with every precautionary medicine from remedies for blowgun darts to foot powder. Only thing I used was insect repellant and aspirin—this climate breeds headaches.

The camp has no electricity. No radio or TV or telephones. The water is safe to drink. Food is simple but good. There's a bar. Chemical toilets like you find on small boats.

The Indians are friendly — they say. But they do carry poison dart blowguns. They don't look like they came from a Christmas toy box.

The Indians have mastered the art of fair trade. One seed bead necklace for four packs of American cigarettes. Lipsticks and colored ribbon bombed out. But one woman hit the jackpot with a ballpoint that switched to four colors.

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The painted chief with parrot feathers bound to his biceps had to have that. Traded a blowgun and a dozen darts complete with poison.

Our photographer hung around after we left.

He said: "After the show was over, the chief washed off his paint and got into green bermuda shorts, a white shirt and a baseball cap.

"The girls who were standing around in grass skirts and no bras shifted into long socks, gray uniforms. Got into a canoe and headed for school in Iquitos."

Learn something new every day: Make a paste of meat tenderizer and hold it on mosquito bites for fifteen minutes. Takes the itch out. (Also good for jellyfish stings and fire coral scrapes.) Amazon mosquitos hit just before rain.

Carlos, a Peruvian, is the camp manager. He doesn't come on strong, but when you take the jungle walk with different nationalities, you find he can talk to all of them. Has a master's degree in languages from the Sorbonne and speaks eight.

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Adultery Here Means Jail For Married Women . . .

PORT MORESBY, (Reuter) — Papua-New Guinea, where married women risk jail by having an affair while most men escape penalty, plans to reform its adultery laws.

Unlike their South Pacific neighbors in Polynesia, the Melanesians of Papua New Guinea are surprisingly prudish when it comes to sex.

The current Australian colonial laws make adultery by either sex liable to a fine or imprisonment for six months or both.

But in practice, as old Papua New Guinea customary laws designate women as little more than the property of their husbands or clans, few men find themselves facing charges while indiscreet wives are swiftly punished.

In some areas a wronged husband can kill or severely maim his adulterous wife without fear of legal retribution. Even if his crime of passion comes to the attention of authorities, he is not likely to receive more than a three-year prison term.

Justice Minister Ebia Olewale has ordered the Papua-New Guinea law reform commission to modernize the newly-independent nation's adultery laws in the hope that this will also influence village customs.

There is no doubt that the 19th century colonial laws, influenced by the missionaries, which makes adultery by local people a criminal offence—expatriates are immune from prosecution—will have to be repealed.

But the major problem remains the rough justice meted out within village societies which cover 90 per cent of the three million people here.

These village laws vary considerably because there are about 1,000 different clans and most have their own languages and customs.

All frown upon extra-marital sex but while men's misdemeanours are not strongly opposed, adultery by women is a serious offence.

A survey by a legal expert, Dr. Marilyn Strathern, based on reports from 131 anthropologists indicates a strong element of commercialism in opposition to female extra-marital activity.

The local belief is that sex outside marriage reduces the value of the woman concerned.

In a virgin the drop in the bride price can be as high as $9,000 — a considerable sum when one considers that average annual earnings are around $250.

Sex with a married or betrothed woman is considered a violation of property as the woman's capacity for sex and child-bearing belongs to her husband and his clan.

Violations often lead to fierce tribal battles which can result in serious injuries if not deaths. The authorities hope reforming the laws will reduce these violent clashes.

In her reforms, however, Dr. Strathern holds a conservative position by insisting on court interference in the adultery issue. She suggests adultery be classified as a community offence to be dealt with by new village courts being set up throughout the country.

The main task of these courts would be to help the parties involved arrive at acceptable damages and forestall any move to exact violent physical vengeance

Some legal experts here feel courts should stay out of adultery disputes and doubt if the new ones will be able to do more than the existing courts operating under colonial laws which normally just hand down fines and jail sentences.

According to the chairman of the law reform commission, Bernard Narokobi, any change will be for the better.

He said the existing written laws "discriminate against women and also fail to reflect the way people deal with adultery."

UN Wants SALT Action

UNITED NATIONS (Reuter) — The General Assembly passed a resolution Friday regretting the absence of positive results during the last two years of Strategic Arms Limitation Talks (SALT) between the Soviet Union and the United States. Canada voted in favor of the resolution, adopted 102 to 10 with 12 abstentions. Eight Communist countries joined the U.S. and the Soviet Union in voting against it.

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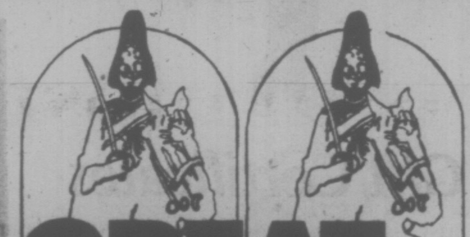

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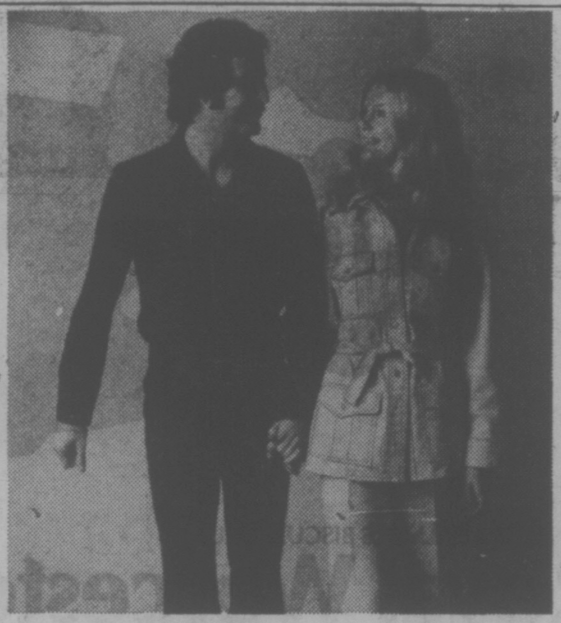

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YULE SPIRIT extends to the Unemployment Insurance Commission, where two satisfied claimants — elderly twin brothers who are fishermen — brought in a big decorated cake Thursday for the Victoria UIC office, much to the surprise of the federal employees who are more used to abuse than appreciation. (Bill Halkett photo.)

Orange Meringue Pie

By MARY MOORE

My family was clamoring for a meringue pie — lemon, banana or butterscotch. I surprised them with an orange meringue pie because it is easier and a real change.

The easy part was a 6-ounce can of fresh frozen orange juice. You do not have to grate any rind for this pie to achieve a rich orange flavor. I should make one more comment. You will see that I have used only ½ cup sugar. If you have a very sweet tooth you may want to add more but my crowd thought it was just right.

ORANGE MERINGUE PIE

Note: Make this pie in the morning to be served for the dinner at night to insure neat slicing.

PASTRY:
½ c. plus 2 tbsp. all-purpose flour
½ c. plus 2 tbsp. cake and pastry flour
½ tsp. salt
⅓ c. shortening
3 tbsp. butter
2½ to 3 tbsp. cold water

FILLING:
One 6-oz. can fresh frozen orange juice concentrate.
1½ c. hot water (two orange juice canfuls)
2 tbsp. lemon juice
½ c. sugar
5 tbsp. corn starch
⅛ tsp. salt
4 eggs — yokes and whites separated
¼ c. butter

MERINGUE:
4 egg whites (see over)
⅛ tsp. cream of tartar
½ c. sugar

To make Pastry cut shortening and butter into flour and salt until size of peas. Drizzle in water tossing with fork. Pickup and shape into a ball. Roll out to fit deep 9 inch pie plate on light floured board. Make a thick fluted rim. Prick with fork in several place. Bake at 425 deg. Fahr. 10 to 12 minutes. Watch it.

To make filling in a heavy pot mix together well the sugar, corn starch and salt. When thoroughly mixed stir in orange juice concentrate, hot water and lemon juice and cook stirring until thick. Add a big spoonful to the 4 egg yokes in a little bowl and beat to mix. Return to pot and stir over heat for 1 minute. Remove from heat and add butter without stirring. Let stand until butter melts then stir in. Pour into baked pie shell.

To make Meringue beat whites with cream of tartar until foamy, then gradually add sugar and beat until very stiff. Pile it in high puffs all over filling making sure it touches edge of crust. Bake at 375 deg. Fahr. until meringue is a delicate gold. Watch it. My pie was 4 inches high over-all and caused quite a rush of lovely comments.

Free For The Asking

By HARRIET HART

If your child has been elected to handle the financial affairs of his or her club, he will need some guidance.

The 16-page booklet "Banking for Your Club — A Guide for Young People's Groups" ("Services bancaires pour votre groupe — un guide a l'intention des associations de junes") says that for a club treasurer a banking connection is very important. It suggests that the club open a current account for its day-to-day business and retain the monthly statement of deposits and withdrawals. A club also needs a non-chequing savings account which earns interest and from which part can be transferred to the current account at any time.

Some clubs may prefer a chequing savings account instead of the current account. The difference between the two is explained.

Send your request to: Information Services, Canadian Bankers' Association, P.O. Box 282, Royal Trust Tower, Toronto-Dominion Centre, Toronto, Ontario M5K 1K2. Please allow at least 2-3 weeks for delivery.

LEATHER CLOTHES LAST

TORONTO (CP) — Speaking of a leather garment as an investment is misleading, says Elizabeth Hammond, director of the Leather Bureau of Canada.

"The producer has no control over the care and treatment of a leather garment once it is in the hands of an individual," she said. "One can say that a leather coat will wear for 20 years or more, but will it be serviceable for that long in terms of current fashion and appearance?"

Miss Hammond said the only true economy is in quality and leather falls into that category.

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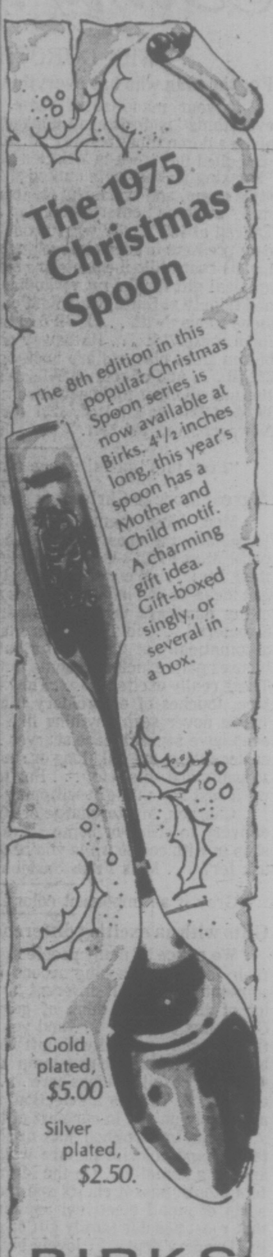

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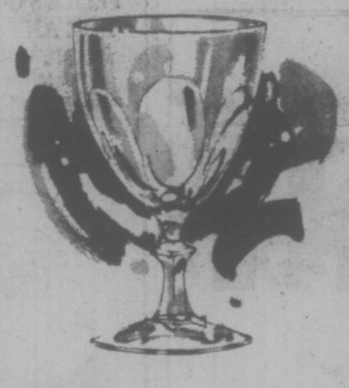

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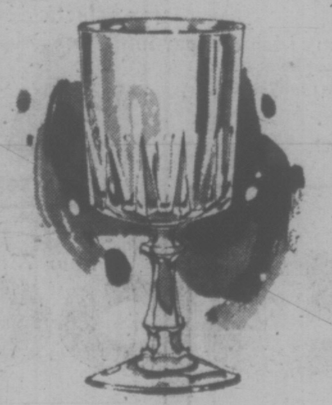

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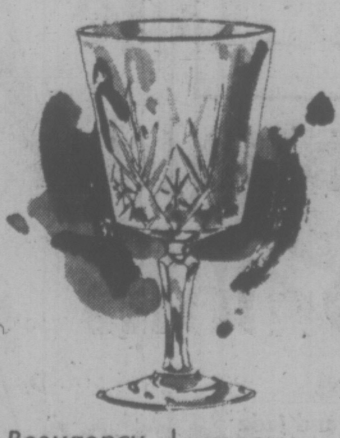

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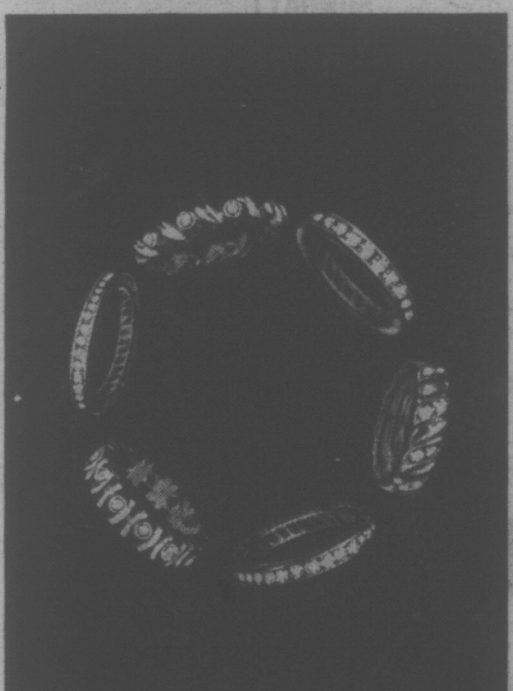

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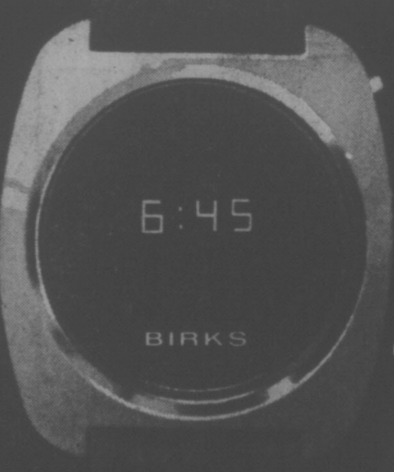

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For the man who has everything . . .

Is your man one of those lucky souls who simply "has everything" and you can't think of a thing to give him, you haven't given a dozen times before? . . . Well, how about THESE gift ideas we culled this week in Wilson's men's dept.? . . . An elegant silky "smoking jacket" with quilted shawl collar and cuffs . . . Back in style again, and wonderful for lounging around the house or informal "at home" entertaining . . . even if he's sworn off smoking! Tagged at $85 . . . Or what about one of Wilson's famous electric pant pressers to keep him looking sharp? . . Has a place for hanging his coat while the pants are being pressed . . . Costs $175 and is an ideal gift for the man who has everything . . . If he gets tense and fidgety at times, you might consider giving him an onyx worry stone to play with . . . He'll feel like an Arab oil baron . . . and all for a mere $10! . . . Hathaway cotton velour sport shirts with 3-button front plackets are back again . . . Nice manly colors . . . $32.50 . . . And of course, Wilson's have a fine selection of shirts, ties and all other male accoutrements to help fill Santa's bag! . . . **W. & J Wilson Limited, 1221 Government St., 383-7177 and 1210 Newport Ave., 592-2821.**

"Poor furs" are the rage among rich Roman girls.

A great store to Christmas shop! . . .

Men, bless them, are getting smarter every Christmas! Especially the ones who've discovered in the past what a great place Miss Frith's is to purchase delightful gifts for the ladies in their life! . . . We were positively dazzled by all the tremendous gift ideas we ran into on all sides at Miss Frith's this week . . . Exciting handbags priced anywhere from around $10 to $50 . . . Sweaters . . . folding umbrellas which snap open and shut automatically at the flip of a button! . . chic sweaters . . . and blouses galore including some imports exclusive to Miss Frith . . . These really excited us . . . They're all white, and real dressy with lace, touches of embroidery, fluted frills or hint of glitter . . . We've never seen anything like them in Victoria before! Some even have separate lace scarves . . . and of course, for festive occasions there are gala long or short dresses and jump suits, palazzo pants and sets, etc. . . . Far too much to enumerate here, but we'll just say that gift wrapping is free, ample parking also free . . . Chargex, Mastercharge or Frith's own credit terms . . . free delivery to office or home . . . a friendly relaxed atmosphere to shop in with coffee while you're waiting. What more could anyone ask for? . . . **Miss Frith Fashions, 1619 Douglas St., 383-7181.**

Grey is an important color in Valentino's winter collection

Gifts with an exciting difference . . .

We notice so many people starting to get that harried look on their faces . . . dashing around from store to store in search of something just a bit different in the way of a gift . . . Probably a lot of them don't think of going into Standard Furniture for Christmas shopping . . . and yet this remarkable store has eight floors simply packed with gift ideas at price ranges to suit every budget! . . . Take the new lamp section, for instance . . . you'll get some very exciting ideas here . . . and we don't mean just in lamps either! . There's a selection of imported accessories that are absolutely unique in our part of the world . . . priced from $10 up . . . In the Import Shop, look at small furniture items like nests of tables, and colorful picture wall plaques . . . welcome gifts for anyone's home! . . . On the Main floor a great selection of little foot stools, basket chairs and the like . . . On the lower main, all sorts of small electrical appliances, stereo equipment . . . and that most popular family gift of all . . . beautiful color TVs . . . In the Drapery dept. . . . lovely bath mat sets, hassocks, decorative cushions, blankets and bedspreads . . . while the Carpet dept. has interesting little fake fur rugs and mats, as well as sheepskins . So many ordinary gifts are soon broken or forgotten . . . but when you give something for the home it's a year-long source of pleasure! . . . **Standard Furniture Co., 737 Yates St., 382-5111.**

The fashion appeal of suede fabrics continues to increase.

Dressing up for Christmas . . .

This is not only the season to be merry . . . but it's also the season to be dressy . . . when you want to look and feel glamorous as the Christmas fairy! . . We saw some super-dressy evening dresses at Eaton's this week which positively made us drool! . . . Like the white sinuously flowing white matte jersey . . . front gathered into a sparkly rhinestone studded choker . . . completely backless except for two rows of brilliants running from collar to waist . . . Same dress in black . . . and they're both sexy as all getout! . . . More circumspect but perfectly stunning is a coffee matte jersey don with fabulous beaded embroidery around the scoop neck, empire waist and cuffs . . . A shrimp matte jersey is intricately draped and gathered, with spaghetti straps, and yards and yards of chiffon scarf . . . Another matte jersey accented with beadwork in a deep turquoise shade . . . We saw several smart evening pajama outfits . . . one of chamois colored polyester satin with butterfly sleeves and narrow tucks front and black . . . Same material used for a 2-pce. dress with long skirt, squarish neck . . . A long black satin shirt dress with drawstring waist has a front zipper studded with rhinestones . . . which you can lower as far as discretion permits . . . Smashing! . . . **Eaton's Townhouse, 382-7141, local 367.**

Kissing people is less risky than shaking hands if you want to avoid a cold, say medical authorities!

Bonanzas for book lovers! . . .

The very latest of the new crop of books are now on display at the Book Nook, just waiting to be bought and presented for Christmas to lucky book lovers . . . or kept for your own delectation! . . . "The Life of Bertram Russell", by Ronald W. Clark is fascinating. The author used a mass of new material to provide an extraordinary portrait of Russell, very different from the accepted image . . . $17.95 . . . A terrific family gift book . . . very readable indeed, and one Book Nook's been waiting for for a long time . . . is "Logging" by Ed Gould . . . A history of logging in B.C., it contains all sorts of interesting photographs both old and new . . . $14.95 . . . "Backroads of British Columbia" by Liz and Jack Bryan is a gorgeous thing . . . Contains descriptions of 25 backroad tours, with maps and beautiful color photography . . . $14.95 . . . "Good Buy Canada" will give you many a chuckle . . . A potpourri of satire on prominent Canadian political, radio and TV figures . . . it's a lot of fun . . . Just $5.95 . . . Everyone will adore "The Flight of the Snow Geese" by Jen and Des Bartlett . . . Contains their observations and photographs of snow geese and their incredible 2500 mile migrations from Canada to the Gulf of Mexico . . . $9.95 . . . Makes excellent family reading . . . Book Nook has a good supply of Beatrix Potter books at last! If you're missing some, now's the time! . . **The Book Nook, 10 Centennial Square, 386-0813.**

Don't miss visiting the Handloom . . .

Seems to us we've been seeing an awful lot of people carrying Handloom bags and boxes of late . . . Small wonder too, we decided, after a scouting visit this week! . . . Just picking out things here and there . . . we noticed some very attractive new plates from Shawnigan Lake Pottery . . . Interesting shapes and imaginative well-defined designs . . . A couple of crib pillows caught our eye . . . Quilted white cotton with applique designs in check gingham . . . a sun-bonneted mopped for a girl . . . a ship in full sail for a boy . . . A lovely Quebec hooked rug picture depicting a sugaring-time scene in la belle province . . . Hand-carved Indian feast dishes in various shapes and sizes . . Beaver, Eagle and Raven . . . carved by Doug Lafortune, who also did the big totem priced at $900 while he was demonstrating in the shop last month . . . There's a fantastic planter . . . a cedar box with pottery murals on four sides . . . which can be used either as a wood box or an outdoor planter . . . Leather jewellery in earring and pin sets or single pins alone . . . Flower shapes in delectable colors . . . This jewellery would make beautiful gifts . . . and so light to mail! We also like the silver and copper enamelled jewellery . . . wide rings and interesting pins . . . and Byron Johnstad's new jugs and vases in two sizes . . . So satiny smooth and lovely you want to stroke them! . . . **The Handloom, 625 Trounce Alley, 384-1011 and Empress Hotel, 384-1518.**

For a fragrant Christmas . . .

We've always felt a gift of a fine fragrance is the supreme compliment any woman can receive . . . and of course this includes perfume's sweet-smelling concomitants like cologne, toilet water, bath preparations and dusting powders . . . And believe us when we tell you there isn't anywhere in town that has so complete a selection of imported perfumes as Douglas Pharmacy . . nor is there a more pleasant spot to browse and sniff and make your choice . . . All the famous names, it goes without saying . . . and quite a few that are exclusive to Douglas, as well as others that are hard to find elsewhere . . We did a bit of browsing ourself this week and saw quite a number of nice sets bearing prestigeous names . . . There are Rive Gauche sets from Saint Laurent, in various combinations . . . Fidji sets by Guy Alroche . . . Sets of Lancome's Magic . . . Dana's Tabu . . . Jean D'Albret's Ecusson, Evyan's White Shoulders to name but a few . . . Douglas also have a tremendous Cabochard special . . . Purchase any Cabochard product and for $6 you may buy a $12 spray bottle of perfume in a little velvet bag for carrying . . . There's also another Cabochard special . . . a set of toilet water and perfume for $9 . . . Free gift wrapping too at Douglas Pharmacy, so your gift will look as lovely as it smells! **Douglas Pharmacy, 1469 Douglas St., 385-1541**

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On Her Soap Box Shouting Don't! Don't!

elizabeth forbes

I'm up on a soap-box tonight. Shouting at the top of my voice and over and over again—"don't . . . don't . . . don't."

The reason?

A request, last Tuesday night, in Bill Walker's column on the sport pages of this newspaper, that if anyone has sorties or pictures of famous teams or famous athletes from Victoria's past they hand them over to the B.C. Hall of Fame.

With all due respect for Bill Walker, who was merely passing on a message from the mainland set-up, I'm going to urge anyone who may have such items, not to rush out and hand them over to the BCHF, but to **HANG ON TO THEM — FOR THE**

Why do I say this?

First, because I have visited the mainland set-up.

Not too long ago I spent several hours there, peering into glass cases, reading the fine print on newspaper clippings. Looking at blow-ups of athletes.

And I came away convinced the place is not a B.C. Hall of Fame. Rather, it belongs to Vancouver and the Lower Mainland.

Oh! Sure! The bicycling Peden brothers — Torchy and Doug — are there. As they should be.

Certainly, the famed Dominoes basketball team, that later became the Blue Ribbons, has a place in a show case. Again, that is as it should be.

Audrey Griffin, one of Victoria's famed women swimmers of an earlier day is featured, as is Archie McKinnon, "Mr. Sports" to several generations of Victorians, and Margaret Todd, a champion golfer.

Poke and pry, Look over the exhibits with a strong magnifying glass. And I'll wager you won't find many more of our sports greats — or, for that matter, any from other places on Vancouver Island.

The Amitys, for instance. A baseball team active at the beginning of this century and that played in a field surrounded by a high board fence, where windsor Park is presently located.

When I was a young woman, two men who played for the Amitys were friends of our family.

They could boast of games played — and cups won — over in the western United States as well as on this side of the line.

A championship team! Yet, you'll not find it included in the mainland hall of fame.

Come up a few years to a time when there was a baseball diamond where the Crystal Garden stands now.

Championship teams and players were turned out there, under the watchful eyes of Walter Lorimer, baseball coach and manager par excellence. Where is he in the mainland set-up?

What about the James Bay Athletic Association that once maintained headquarters on Belleville Street, opposite what is now the Wax Museum, and the rowing teams from there that won in regattas up and down the Pacific Coast?

The championship swimmers (other than Audrey Griffin) schooled by the Victoria Amateur Swimming Club up the Gorge? The Huskies Basketball team that brought fame to Victoria in the years 1916 to 1924?

A whole series of glass cases could be devoted to Sunday School basketball that flourished in this city — and turned out champions in the years 1916 to approximately 1926.

In 1916 a team of young men from First Presbyterian Church (now United) captured senior honors here then, all together, enlisted in the 62nd Battery, CFA in The First World War.

They went to Petawawa for training, won the championship in an army basketball series; proceeded overseas and before going to the front, won more cups in English training camps.

You'll not find that team featured in the mainland hall of fame.

Nor do you see another "First Pres" team of young basketball players that beat the Huskies in 1922 for the right to challenge the Towers of Vancouver for the B.C. title— and to win in what mainland papers screamed was a fluke and an upset.

I could go on to remind you of soccer, rugby and tennis teams that brought glory to British Columbia in the past and of individual players in many sports who deserve recognition.

I asked about a few when I visited the mainland set-up. My answer was a puzzled shrug and the words "no one told us about them."

To me that is not good enough!

The so-called B.C. Hall of Fame has been established for some years.

There has been every opportunity in those years to stage an all-out coordinated effort to find these teams and players.

Yet, I do not think there has ever been a determined drive, in our newspapers or otherwise, to gather information that would add to Victoria's presence in Vancouver.

This brings me to my second reason for suggesting you turn a blind eye to the request in Bill Walker's column.

Victoria is much older in point of years than Vancouver and the Lower Mainland.

It has been active in organized sport much longer than the city on Burrard Inlet. It is also the capital of British Columbia.

Therefore, it is my firm belief, a Hall of Fame should be located here.

I had hoped some far-sighted person, or group of persons, might have arranged for such a hall in an renovated and re-opened Crystal Garden.

Recent suggestions on the ultimate fate of the Crystal sees that hope almost wiped out.

However, we still have the definite possibility of a convention hall in Victoria.

Surely if that project becomes fact, there are enough influential and sports-minded men and women in this city to urge a corner in such a centre be reserved for our own Hall of Fame—if not for British Columbia, then for Victoria and Vancouver Island.

That's why I'm standing on a soap-box tonight. That's why I'm urging you **NOT** to turn over any precious stories or pictures you may have to the BCHF in Vancouver—**FOR THE PRESENT AT LEAST. AWHILE LONGER . . . AND WORK TO KEEP THEM HERE.**

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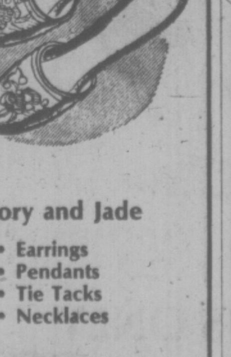

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PARENTS OF TWINS SAY TROUBLE OFTEN DOUBLES

OTTAWA (CP) — Books just can't tell you all the fine points of raising twins, agree members of the Ottawa Twins Parents' Association.

"Sometimes, when they're going through a biting stage you think maybe you've done something wrong to make them this way, and it's really reassuring to talk to someone else who has gone through the same experience," said Lynne Crocker.

The 15-year-old association now has 91-members who get together at a local church every fourth Wednesday of the month to swap stories, problems, recipes and just generally let their hair down.

"I remember before the twins came my husband would come home and ask what's for supper," said Diane Mulholland, the association's vice-president.

"After the twins were born he started asking if there was any supper at all."

A $4 yearly membership fee helps defray the association's expenses. Members can attend the monthly meetings, receive a newsletter, take advantage of twice-yearly used-clothing sales, buy used furniture cheaply from other members, hear guest speakers and get store discounts.

"Having twins is not cheap," explained Sharron Welby, association president. Shoes and clothes were expensive and the used clothing sale was a real help.

Twins also pose unique problems, the mothers expained, because they often work together getting into mischief.

"My boys used to get together and see how much toilet paper they could pull through the house before they broke it off the roll" said Lynda Edwards.

"They got pretty good," she laughed. "They could pull it through almost every room in the house before it broke."

The association also corresponds with similar groups across the country and with two Australian groups to gather tips and ideas.

"We usually recruit our members by word of mouth or through birth announcements in the newspapers," said Mrs. Mulholland.

"If I see someone on the street with twins I will ask them if they want to join," added Mrs. Welby.

The women agree that twins create a lot of work — about 150 diapers a week, for one thing — and it takes extra care to arrange feeding and medication as well as every day routines.

"I have to put a chart on the wall to figure out who has had their vitamins and even arrange different colored T-shirts so that I would know who had been fed," said Mrs. Edwards.

"It doesn't always work, though, and at least once my husband got the T-shirt code wrong and fed one baby twice and accidentally neglected the other."

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DEAR DR. MILLER: Tom Bones, my Beagle, is a bummer. I mean he bums around a lot. Everybody in the neighborhood knows him. Most even like him. He gets so many handouts, he hardly eats at home. Not if he has just plain dog food. Should I be giving him vitamins so he'll be getting a better balanced diet?—T. K.

DEAR T.K.: I presume you're trying to ensure Tom Bones' longevity with vitamin pills. Unfortunately, they won't do it, not when he's exposed to possibly spoiled food, probably to plenty of bones and other inedibles and undigestibles. Dietary hazards are only one of the life-shorteners he faces daily. Others, from automobiles to neighbors who don't like him, should be considered. Make no bones about it, he'd be better off confined to home or leash if you're really concerned about his longevity. A vitamin pill wouldn't hurt, but it wouldn't help enough.

DEAR DR. MILLER: Is it really possible to toilet train a cat? I mean to use a human toilet? Yes or no?—D.B.

DEAR D. B.: Yes.

DEAR DR. MILLER: When I was a kid, some time back that was, I used to keep raccoons and skunks mostly as pets. One big trouble I had with them was that their nails were always getting too long, but they'd never let me cut them without biting. But that didn't stop me. I made a small box and put hardware cloth, that's that big squarish green stuff, in the bottom. When the skunk was standing in the box, the nails would stick through the bottom and I could snip them off one by one and the skunk couldn't bit me through the wire. You might like to pass along this neat trick to some of your young readers.—B. D.

DEAR B.D.: Your pet pedicure box could indeed prove helpful on occasion, though it's less useful now than formerly, because many wild pets such as skunks are no longer legally kept as pets under most circumstances. Besides, one wouldn't attempt trimming toenails on a skunk through that screened bottom unless the skunk had been subjected to surgery for scent gland removal at some previous date. True, the skunk couldn't bite through such a screen, but that barrier would provide precious little protection against that particularly potent posterior armament an angry skunk would inevitably utilize.

DEAR DR. MILLER: We want to breed our Himalayan, who's not only beautiful but has a pedigree paper full of champions. We were told when she was young to wait until she was two years old to have her litter. She's only a year and a half of age now, and someone else is telling us to breed her right away. Who are we to believe? Which is better for Thai? Do it now, or wait?—W.E.

DEAR W.E.: The time for Thai is now, or at least soon. The older your fair feline becomes, the less likely she is to breed and carry through a successful pregnancy. And once the cat is actually mature, the longer the prospective pregnancy is postponed, the less likely it is to occur at all. It is, ironically, more of a problem with purebreds than alley cats who are able to multiply in abundance, often under the most adverse circumstances. The reasons why postponing her projected pregnancy are undesirable range from uterine infections to failure to accept the male to hormone imbalance, the latter problem being the most prevalent.

HATES THE WORD CHATELAINE

OTTAWA (CP) — Gaby Carmel Leger said Thursday she would like to strike the word chatelaine from the dictionary because it conjures up a false vision of a grand life of ease.

"I think I would translate chatelaine as a 'full-time house manager.' I can assure you that being a chatelaine is a 24-hours-a-day job," said Mrs. Leger, chatelaine of Rideau Hall, the official residence of her husband, Gov.-Gen. Jules Leger.

In a speech to the Women' Canadian Club, Mrs. Leger described her house as a home, office and centre of official activity always buzzing with luncheons, receptions, parties, guided tours and ceremonies. And she tried "to demystify the word chatelaine a bit, at least where Rideau Hall is concerned."

"Every day there is at least one function, and sometimes two or three. It could be an ambassador presenting his letters of credence, an official luncheon or a reception for a couple of hundred people," she said.

"From the outside, it may not seem like much, but take my word for it, standing up for quite a few hours every day, shaking hundreds of hands, can be hard on the legs and elbow."

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Older Men Turned On But She's Turned Off

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First off, my roommate's father (he's divorced) propositioned me, and I told him "No way." He kept trying to talk me into it. I finally told him; he reminded me too much of my father, so he gave up.

Then, one of my professors (an old, married man of 47) told me that I had a very good mind but that I didn't know how to study. Then, he offered to teach me.

I said, "Great," but when he told me he had the key to a friend's apartment for the instruction, I told him I wasn't interested. He looked crushed!

Last week, I went to the health service with an infected toe, and doctor, who must have been 50, asked me for a date. He was really gross and wouldn't take no for an answer. I finally told him he was too old for me. I know I hurt his feelings.

When you tell a young guy to get lost, he accepts it and there's no hassle, but you can't turn down an older man without destroying his ego. How come? HATES HASSLES

DEAR HATES: Men are no different from women. No one wants to be turned down because of age. Don't waste your tears on older men. If they approach enough young gals, they're bound to find one who digs older men.

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If the answer to three out of these four questions is "over six months," your marriage could be in trouble.

Welch Medical Report

Although three square meals a day is such a nearly inviolable custom that its ritual succession seems to govern the rhythm of our lives, many men and women with an active peptic ulcer of the duodenum find that freedom from their recurring bellyaches is often only possible if they eat six small meals a day instead of three big ones.

Doctors have frequently recommended six meals a day because such a regimen shortens the time during which the stomach is empty. An empty stomach harboring a duodenal ulcer hurts, and that same stomach with food in it feels better.

The stomachs of people with a duodenal ulcer tend to empty rapidly and also to produce excessive amounts of gastric acid. tneh Weht nerval gastric acid. When the interval between meals is long as it is on the three-meals-a-day schedule, the unneutralized acid has more chance to get at the vulnerable stomach and duodenal lining.

It is thus quite reasonably arguable that shortening the period between meals should reduce the time that the duodenal wall is exposed to the eroding effect of the stomach acid.

But now it is clear that there is even more sense to such a regimen than was realized.

With the curiosity characteristic of the scientist who is never satisfied with the obvious, Dr. Robert L. Blalock and his colleagues of Tampa, Fla., have found that the expected neutralizing of stomach acid is not the only, and perhaps not the major, advantage to be gained by patients who eat six meals a day. He measured the effect on the acid production of the stomach of the same amound of food, divided into three daily portions, and divided into six small daily portions.

When he measured on successive days the effect of the two diet schedules, he found that among patients with duodenal ulcer, the six-meal-a-day schedule evoked a much smaller acid-producing response than did the same amount of food divided into three meals.

The apparent advantage of six meals a day for patients with active duodenal ulcers is still not wholly clear. We know that peptic ulcers do not appear when there is no acid in the stomach. But there is no good explanation of exactly why or when excessive acid is produced. Nor is there precise knowledge of how psychological conflicts and emotional tension play their role in the formation of ulcers.

But now, thanks to Dr. Blalock, we have encouraging evidence that food in the stomach not only quiets the pain of a duodenal ulcer but also that properly scheduled, frequent feedings can critically slow down the acid-producing mechanism in patients with duodenal ulcers.

Parents Convicted

FORT PIERCE, Fla. (AP) — A year ago, 65 to 70 per cent of all crimes in rural St. Lucie County were committed by criminals under 18 years old after 11 p.m. That's when State Attorney Robert Stone declared war on juvenile offenders and their parents.

The fighting continues today, with some scant signs of victory.

"With a program like this, you're not going to be able to see results in six months or a year," Stone said. "But you will find the parents charged in these cases are going to be stricter with their children."

Stone girded himself for the campaign last December with a fistful of legal regulations, including what he called a "revolutionary" program detailing possible fines and incarceration for parents of convicted youths.

He said parents or guardians might face $1,000 fines and a year in jail on charges of contributing to the delinquency of a juvenile.

To date, 12 parents have been convicted. All pleaded guilty.

In each case, investigators decided to charge the parent and not the children, telling judges the parents bore responsibility.

But of the dozen cases brought to court, half the youngsters were held for loitering, Stone said.

And of those six, some really were not breaking the law.

"A 15-year-old boy outside a bar at night in a high-crime area — that's not a technical violation of the law," Stone conceded, "but he's in a place where he might endanger himself or others."

Three youths were charged with breaking and entering, and their parents subsequently were also charged.

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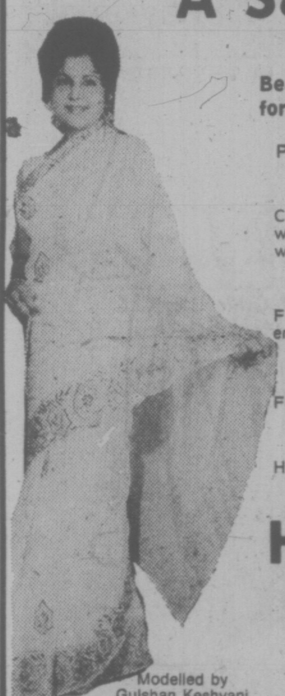

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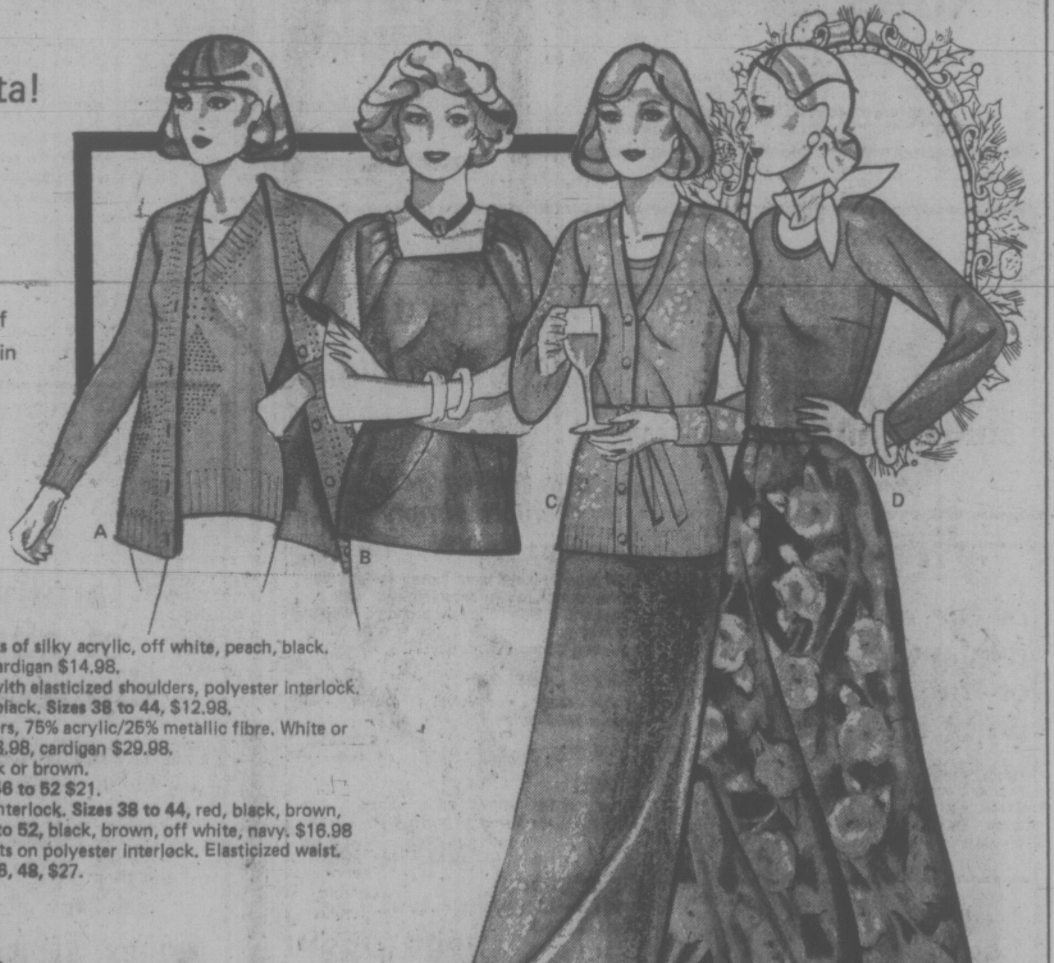

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These and a host of other projects are being urged on the polite but noncommittal princes who run Saudi Arabia as the most frantic trade rush of the decade gathers pace.

In the present state of the trade scramble, Americans are far and away in the lead with West Germans and the Japanese next. Some way behind come the British, while the South Koreans are moving up fast.

For foreign businessmen, selling in Saudi Arabia is fraught with frustrations. Gaining an audience to make a sales presentation can be difficult enough. But the subsequent wait for a decision often stretches the nerves of even the most buoyant sales representative.

The lobbies of the overcrowded hotels are filled with listless foreigners reading paperback after paperback and not daring to leave the building in case that telephone call, promised days or weeks ago, might suddenly come through.

In another country, the businessman might find some solace at the bar. But in Saudi Arabia Islamic law is followed in every aspect of life and alcohol is totally prohibited. So are most other Western delights.

At first, Westerners often become irritated at the frequency with which appointments fail to materialize. But they soon find it wiser to take a more philosophical view.

The Saudi Arabian seldom likes to commit himself to a precise time of day. The Westerner says "10 o'clock, then." The Saudi Arabian confined himself to replying "Inshallah" which means "God willing."

When an interview does take place, the ingrained courtesy of the Saudi Arabian precludes him from displaying any abrasive sales resistance.

The most substantial difficulty in selling to Saudi Arabia is the rule that requires a foreign company to lay down a deposit amounting to 10 per cent of the contract figure.

This is a performance bond which might be forfeited in whole or part if the contract terms are not fulfilled.

Even for large companies, tying up so much capital presents a formidable obstacle.

For all the rush to create an industrial state, the Saudis show little eagerness to change their personal way of life. They want a standard of living that allows comfortable homes, airconditioning in the ferocious summer heat, television, cars and a good range of modern gadgetry.

But there is no sign of any move to alter the classical political system under which government ministries are headed by princes of the Saudi royal blood and a monarch, King Khalid, who has absolute power.

Nor is there any suggestion that Saudi Arabia might change to a different style of personal living.

"We are Moslems and we live by the Koran," a government official explained. "If you came to my house you would not see my wife. She would sit in another room and simply pass tea to us through a hatch."

The official went on: "My wife must not talk to other men and when she goes out she must be veiled. For 90 per cent of Saudi Arabian women, life is like this and we do not want it to change.

"I do not like going abroad except to other strict Moslem countries. I do not like to see drinking and I do not like to see women flaunting themselves in front of me. I would never take my wife to Europe or even somewhere like Beirut."

There are no movie theatres in Saudi Arabia and no plans to build any. Restaurants are few and nightlife, as understood in the West, is non-existent.

Middle-Class Voice Campaign Steamroller

TORONTO (CP) — When John Bulloch was teaching business and finance in college here, he used to mark his students' papers and otherwise catch up with his reading in the bathtub.

One day when he was immersed in suds and a 1969 federal government white paper on taxation, indignation overcame him when he saw what the government planned to do about the report of Kenneth Carter, a chartered accountant who had recommended radical changes in the tax structure after a five-year royal commission investigation.

"They had butchered Carter," Mr. Bulloch says now.

His feelings were so strong that he promptly quit his job at Ryerson Polytechnical Institute to fight the federal proposals, and the upshot today is the Canadian Federation of Independent Business, a 30,000-member cross-Canada body with a staff of 70 dedicated to leaning on governments on behalf of the small businessman.

Mr. Bulloch's first move was to organize what he called the Canadiaan Council for Fair Taxation and stage a whirlwind series of public rallies around the country, during which he raised $150,000 to fight the government's tax reform bill.

Out of that grew the present federation, of which he is president.

"What the government did in 1969," he said in an interview, "was to conclude that Carter's tax proposals for the mining, oil and insurance businesses were too high. They found themselves a billion dollars short, so they took it out of middle-class industry.

"The big companies were to get taxed effectively at about five, 10, 15 per cent and they were going to tax small business at 50 per cent.

"We got them to roll back the tax and now the effective rate on small business is about 25 per cent, where it was before."

"But," he added, "we're still involved in trying to clean up the original tax bill, which is so complex that only a handful of people in Canada understand it."

Mr. Bulloch, a personable and articulate man of 41 with a quick-on-the trigger mind, comes by his crusading spirit naturally.

His father, John Sr., is a religious fundamentalist from Northern Ireland with strong views on politics. He heads a prosperous family tailoring firm and gets his ideas into clothing advertisements that are relished by connoisseurs—"religion, politics and suits," says the son.

The younger Bulloch is an officer in the firm but devotes full time to his federation, either in its building where a staff of 20 operates, getting around the country to meet members or jetting abroad to see what's going on with small business elsewhere.

"I hardly take any speaking engagements now," Mr. Bulloch said. "I used to yell and scream when we were getting started — and sometimes members tell me I still should—but I'm trying to make myself scarce so people won't get the idea this is a one-man organization. We're building up a speakers' bureau of about 20 people.

"The point is, we're listened to today. We can pick up a phone, call a cabinet minister and get a meeting any time."

Mr. Bulloch says the federation's strength derives from the fact that all its pressures on governments are based on the majority views of owner-managers of businesses—that's the criterion for membership—2,000 of whom are interviewed personally each week and all of whom are polled regularly on public issues.

The firms run in size from those with fewer than 15 employees to a small percentage employing more than 100. All must be Canadian-owned, and no branch plants are admitted. Fees range up to $500 a year, and Mr. Bulloch says proudly that many members voluntarily pay more than their assessment.

"We'll have 50,000 members by 1977," he said, "and right now we have more resources than the two major political parties put together."

One big reason for the growth of the federation, he said, is that the independents are the one group that has never been consulted on public policy— "and that's why the economy is in such a screwed-up mess."

"The policy-makers have been talking to an elite, very small group of around 100 companies instead of the ones that provide the bulk of the employment in this country," Mr. Bulloch said.

What does he think of the federal anti-inflation program?

Mr. Bulloch said 58 per cent of federation members are for it, 40 against and two undecided.

"The leaning toward support is really because of the hammering they've been taking from employees as the result of big pay settlements in the public service, and there's no doubt in my mind that the reason for the program was to clamp down on the public service," he said.

"What we're concerned about," he added, "is that a three-year program will be very difficult to unwind. We have to make sure Canada doesn't move permanently into a controlled society, and we are going to be watching this closely during the control period.

"I think the Liberals are worried about it, too. As a matter of fact, the federal government already has a committee studying how to get out."

"The danger of a three-year program," Mr. Bulloch said, "is that it will push us into other types of controls that haven't even been debated—export and foreign exchange controls—involving a horrendous bureaucracy."

He predicted Canada will have export control, calling for a permit to send goods out of the country, within 1½ years and exchange control before that.

"Another danger of a three-year program," he said, "is that the economy will be so regimented that it will be hard to get out. Usually, the rule is, easy to get in, hard to get out.

"It was only hard to get in in this case because we're so stupid here; we didn't put a freeze in first. And the reason they didn't put a freeze in is because they didn't want it to look like they were following Stanfield.

"I kind of feel sorry for them because they had to do something they didn't really want to do. Without a freeze, everyone thinks everyone else is getting a better deal and it's chaos.

"It's really a disaster, and the reason we're suffering is that this thing was a political issue in the last election and politics entered into the decision. Kind of stupid."

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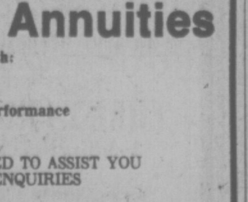
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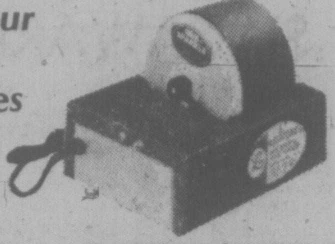
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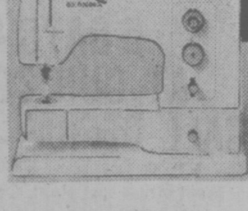
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Hit Landlord with Broom, Court Clears MP

OTTAWA — Liberal MP **Norman Cafik** was acquitted in provincial court Friday of assaulting his landlord with a broom. **Judge Robert Hutton** ruled that Cafik did not use excessive force in ejecting landlord **Laurier Noel** from the Cafik residence. Evidence was that Noel refused to leave Cafik's home despite several requests to do so. Noel then went to the Cafik backyard where he used scissors to cut down clothesline which he said were damaging the bark of trees. While Noel was cutting the clothesline, Cafik attempted to stop him by hitting him with a broom. "I wasn't afraid of the broom and the blows didn't hurt," Noel told the court. Judge Hutton said an individual is entitled to use reasonable force to protect property.

WASHINGTON — **Dave Kopay,** former running back and special teams player for six National Football League teams, says he has long preferred sex with men. Kopay, thought to be the first pro football player to openly admit his homosexuality, stepped forward via an interview with the Washington Star after reading the initial installments of the newspaper's series on gay athletes. "I hope it might help some people," he said of the disclosure, "especially younger people who are going through similar experiences and haven't had anyone to talk to about it."

RALEIGH, N.C. — The State Supreme Court clerk says **Joan Little** won't have to go to jail if she appears this weekend to sign her bond. Miss Little, a young black woman ecquitted of killing a white jailer this summer, is appealing a larceny and breaking and entering charge. She had said she would sign the $15,000 bond Thursday, but did not show up Thursday or Friday, said clerk **Adrian Newton.**

SOUTHEND, England — Nature defeated **Timothy Ellington's** bizarre plot to smuggle $1,200 worth of liquefied marijuana into Britain. Ellington, 23, poured the plant into 40 condoms knotted their ends and swallowed them. On his arrival from Morocco, he managed to pass British customs without a sign of trouble, but then developed such excruciating abdominal pains that he had to go to a hospital. Acting on evidence supplied by hospital doctors, Ellington has been jailed for two years.

SAN FRANCISCO — A judge has imposed an unofficial gag order on defence and prosecution attorneys in the Patricia Hearst case. **Oliver Carter** sent a letter to both sides, suggesting rules of conduct and referring them to the court's rules of practice. One rule pointed out in the letter prohibited lawyers from making out-of-court statements concerning the merits of the case, parties in the trial,, witnesses, evidence or other matters.

DENVER — The owners of a plane in which war hero and film star **Audie Murphy** was killed four years ago have been ordered to pay the actor's family $2.5 million. The judgement against Colorado Aviation of Denver by a six-member jury came Friday at the end of a two-week trial. It was the highest wrongful death award ever made in Colorado.

HOUSTON — Vice-president **Nelson Rockefeller** Friday backed President Ford's candidacy, but said no matter who wins at the Republican convention, the party should present a united front. In remarks at the southern republican conference, Rockefeller urged Ford to ignore polls showing him trailing former Republican California Gov. **Ronald Reagan** and continue doing what he felt was right for the nation.

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More Mental Tests Facing Sara Jane

SAN FRANCISCO — A psychiatric examination has been ordered this weekend for **Sarah Jane Moore**, who says she "wilfully and knowingly" attempted to kill President Ford.

Miss Moore, a one-time FBI informant, tried on Friday to change her plea to guilty of the attempted assassination of the president. She said she is ready to answer for her acts.

U.S. District Judge **Samuel Conti,** who must decide whether to accept the new plea, said he wants to be assured that Miss Moore is mentally competent to give up her right to a trial.

"If you enter this plea of guilty," he told her, "there is a possibility you can be sent to jail for life."

Miss Moore said she realizes the consequences but sees no "reasonably honest and honorable way I can avoid it.

"There comes a point when we each have to answer to ourselves, and it is with our own conscience that we must make peace," she said.

She indicated she had political motivations for firing a gun at Ford as he left a downtown San Francisco hotel Sept. 22. A bystander deflected the gun, and the bullet missed the president.

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Symphony Going to People

Orchestras all over Canada share the same two continuing problems, says Michael Engelbert.

One, of course, is fund raising. The other is the struggle which must never be abandoned, of winning over the uncommitted. The bulk of symphony audiences is made up of the committed who mostly remain faithful for life.

The rest must be constantly reached out to across a barrier he describes as the "unknown."

Michael J. Englebert is the Victoria Symphony Orchestra's new manager. He comes to Victoria from Toronto where he has been orchestra manager of the Toronto Symphony for five years.

Several factors lured him to the West Coast, among which climate and scenery were minor considerations. He emphasizes the exciting growth possibilities of the Victoria orchestra and its cross-country reputation as one of Canada's important orchestras.

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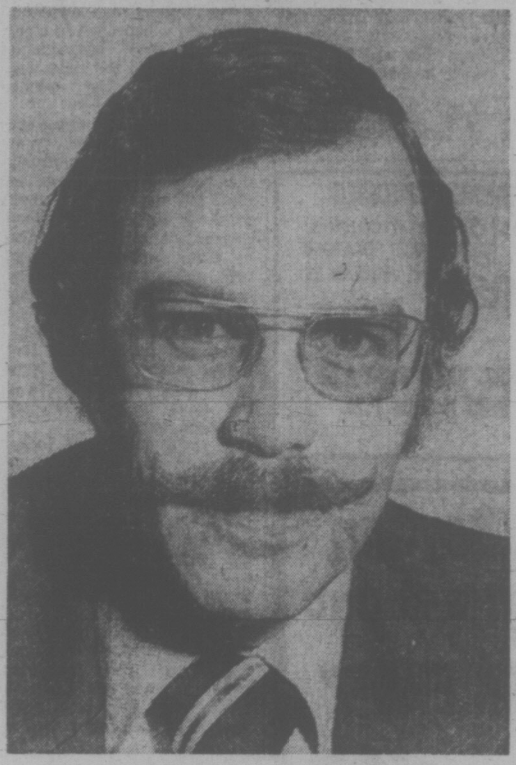
Three and five-year plans for the orchestra are being studied at the present time and Englebert notes the importance of including a pop series in each season as a means of making the "unknown" known.

If people who are hazy about what symphony is — go to a concert and hear Tchaikovsky's fifth or Grieg's piano concerto with their popularized melodies, they are intrigued to find out that this is "classical" music, he says.

The progress toward appreciation of symphonic concerts has to be gradual in most cases, along a path flowered quite liberally with attractive species, experience tells us.

Englebert feels that Laszlo Gati's summer festival outdoor concerts are a long step in the proper direction. (Incidentally, president John Di Castri tells me that it is highly likely that the Victoria Summer Festival, instead of being a separate entity, will become one with Victoria Symphony Society by next year.)



ENGLEBERT . . . new manager

Among things which are priorities in the mind of the new manager are "getting the musicians' dollar up" and working in close collaboration with Gati to continue strengthening the orchestra artistically.

"The potential is so great," he comments. in fact the woodwind section is almost better then Toronto's now."

The orchestra will definitely be visiting Prince George in May, says Di Castri, and this event — the first mainland interior excursion by Victoria Symphony — might turn into a short tour as Quesnel is already a tentative date and investigation is being made of other possibilities.

Working with Englebert and the board on this is B.C. Arts Board director Tom Fielding, a friend of Englebert's since Fielding's days as Hamilton Philharmonic manager.

There is a distinct possibility looming that Victoria Symphony will be making annual provincial tours.

This is in part because Vancouver Symphony is now too large and too heavily committed to its metropolitan season to undertake the tours viewed as desirable by the Arts Board.

Also in view as part of the long-range planning is expanding some concerts to a threesome from the present pair, the third concert to be played on Tuesday.

For Englebert, who was one of some 40 applicants for the advertised post, this stage of the orchestra's development is ideal — a perfect challenge.

His duties in Toronto covered the touring of the orchestra. He arranged tours to New York and Washington and a four-week tour of Europe. And just before leaving to come west he had laid all the groundwork for a two-week tour of Eastern Canada.

At 32 Englebert is a seasoned veteran in all aspects of orchestra management through exposure to day-today problems. He doesn't think much of management courses which, as in most professional training, supply the theory but still leave one needing practical application.

Apprenticing to the management in a professional situation is the only way to learn how to deal with all facets in his field, says Englebert.

"A professional orchestra manager must keep up with major trends and new concepts," he says, "and for this purpose we usually meet together once a year in various parts of the country."

Englebert says he attends all concerts and many rehearsals and will definitely travel with the orchestra on all occasions.

He has only been on the spot since Monday but is already fully immersed. "Right now I'm busier than I've ever been," he says.

He is also well aware of the pluses in the Victoria situation: "The Conservatory of Music and the university music department provide a basic assurance of the presence of good musicians. The best musicians like some variety in the kinds of performance available and this is what they find here."

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He comments that orchestras in Western Canada are actually more innovative and adventurous than those in the East.

Englebert is not a practising musician but has an affinity that has led him to study the history of music, spend six years as a broadcaster specializing in musical documentaries and the presentation of classical music, and to amass a collection of 4,000 records.

The records did not accompany Michael Englebert, his wife Donna, and their two cats to Victoria, but wait in their cases in Toronto until a home is purchased for them.

For Englebert his journey to the west coast is something of a homecoming, for he spent five early years of his life in Victoria and his parents have already retired here.

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'Such a Good, Clean Group'

By POLLY TOYNBEE

LONDON — Girls fainted, screamed, wept, tore their hair and were carried off to hospital every night. One policeman died. "Nothing like it since the Beatles," crowed the group's pushers triumphantly. The Bay City Rollers' tour of the country was "a sell-out, a sensation, unbelievable."

This new Edinburgh group in their tartan gear are clean and hygienic. They don't quiver their codpieces at the audience like Mick Jagger.

Their songs are clean and simple and they bounce and skip about the stage like coy little dolls, like puppets; there's nothing to offend parents of their exclusively female 10 to 15-year-old fans. But beneath it all one senses a cool, commercial calculation.

The program notes list their likes and dislikes — their favorite drinks are milk and orange juice, the program also says they are all under 21, which happens not to be true.

Extreme youth has been one of their selling points, though it was unfortunately revealed and confessed that one of them is 24 and another 26, and two of the others list their birthdays but not the year of their birth.

Jagger and others provoke, excite, titillate, drive to distraction. It is an act, part of an extraordinary writhing, self-worshipping performance.

The Rollers are different. Girls are encouraged to come forward, then tantalizingly held back from the stage, and that's where the trouble starts.

The girls are screaming and shouting, far louder, more earsplitting and terrifying than ever comes across on film, but they keep to their seats. It isn't until the lead singer, Les, sometimes joined by Eric, stops his little hop, skip and jump routine and leans forward over the edge of the stage, drops to one knee and beckons to some lucky girl in the front that things change. The girl leaps to her feet, rushes forward to the stage to grab his outstretched hand.

If she's quick and lucky, she may reach it. He may even bend down farther and kiss her. Her friends rush forward, too, and he may reach for them as well. But between the seats and the stage is a row of heavies, and they thrust the girls harshly back into their seats.

The ones in the front rows are crying with emotion and frustration; the beckoning from the stage and thrusting back before they have quite reached a hand or a foot is too much. Les calls them out again with the offer of a hand. He seems to dare them to brave the heavies, to run the gauntlet of the muscle men for a kiss, or at least a touch.

After a while the crowd becomes uncontrollable and the heavies give up trying to keep them in their seats. They form a chain along the base of the stage, and are sometimes almost crushed up against it by the weight of the whole audience.

Girls faint and fall, the breath squeezed out of them. The heavies swear and push and throw the girls about roughly. Some of the girls who go under are rescued by heavies or ambulance men and are hoisted unconscious on to the stage.

But when the crushing and fainting are worst, when unconscious children are being lifted out of the worst squeezes, Les and Eric keep up their flirtation, reach down and kiss girls, offer out arms and legs for adoration, pretend to be nearly swept into the crowd.

Towards the end, Les and Eric pose prettily in the same pre-arranged spot every night on the very edge of the stage, kneeling down, two heavies holding them. The fans pull them downwards, but of course the heavies get them back safely.

It could well be the fault of the performers who summon forward the children, offering tantalizing touches and kisses. The headlines next day list the number of unconscious and injured, and the size of the crush.

Tom Paton, the group's manager, says: "But that's what they come for. They love it. The Rollers are such a good, clean group. They're anti-violence and they don't encourage fans to take pot.

"I've been to concerts where you could hardly breathe for the smell of marijuana. Is that healthy, is that safe? This is good, clean fun. The girls come here and they shout and scream and yell and maybe they wet their breeks, and they have a hell of a good time. Their greatest wish is to touch a Roller. No one's been badly hurt, have they?"

Few Think Groups Help Women

NEW YORK (UPI) — Women's rights are more popular among Americans than women's rights groups, a Harris survey reported.

A poll of 1,519 men and women showed a 63-25 per cent majority favored "efforts to strengthen and change women's status in society." Only 16 per cent felt that most pro-women's rights groups are "helping the cause of women," the poll reported Thursday.

A Harris survey in 1970 revealed only 42 per cent of those questioned favored strengthened women's status while 41 per cent opposed it.

The most recent survey indicated 65 per cent of all women polled endorse most efforts to strengthen women's rights, but only 17 per cent felt feminist organizations are getting the job done.

Peacekeeping Extended

OTTAWA (CP) — The government has approved extension of Canadian participation in Middle East peacekeeping until well into next year.

The external affairs department announced Friday that the government authorized continued Canadian participation in the United Nation Emergency Force (UNEF) dividing Egyptian and Israeli forces until Oct. 24, 1976.

The participation on the UN Disengagement Observer Force (UNDOF) on the Golan Heightes also was extended until May 31, 1976.

Both dates have recently been approved by the Security Council. Canada has about 850 persons on UNEF and 150 on UNDOF.

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A CANTATA that tells the story of the life of the Christmas saint, Nicolas, will be sung by Amity Singers in a special concert at Christ Church Cathedral, Friday, at 8:30 p.m. The work is by Benjamin Britten and it is the principal item on a program to be conducted by Jon Washburn. Tenor soloist will be Brian Trevor of the University of Western Ontario and also participating will be the children's choir of View Royal Elementary School under direction of Lorna Griffiths. Washburn will also lead the audience and Amity in a sing-along of popular Christmas carols. Also on the program is a short piece by Ned Rorem titled A Sermon on Miracles.

'Toad of Toad Hall' Staged By Reynolds Secondary

One of the special events of a family kind occurring this Christmas in Greater Victoria is the Reynolds Secondary School production of Toad of Toad Hall.

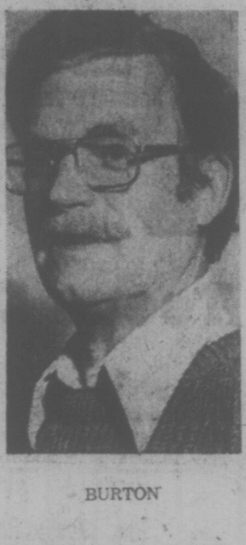
This is the entertaining stage version of Kenneth Grahame's charming fantasy, Wind in the Willows.

It will be presented Monday through Thursday at the school, with curtain at 8 p.m.

The story deals with a child's imaginative journey into a land where toads are stately country gentlemen who live in lavish castles and dress in princely finery.

Mr. Toad of the title role is a rather foolish fellow who gets himself into all sorts of frightful predicaments.

Working with the students for the past two months as director, Tony Burton has brought his considerable dramatic expertise into shaping a polished production.



BURTON

Burton came to Canada just over 20 years ago from England, leaving behind a considerable record of stage successes at both amateur and professional levels.

In Victoria he also soon made a reputation as one of the area's outstanding directors, staging festival winners both in adult and school festivals and himself adjudicating in various parts of the island.

Since Burton has been at Reynolds the school has done some important theatre works such as Peter Pan and Canticle for Leibowitz. Many students involved in these productions are participating in Toad.

Reynolds School is on Borden Street. Tickets will be available at the door at $2 for adults and $1 for students.

AT OPEN SPACE

A program of lunch hour entertainment will be hosted by Open Space Gallery, 506 Fort, Tuesday through Friday. After the holidays it will resume on Jan. 6 as an ongoing event.

Lunchspace will run from 12 noon to 1 p.m. and those attending will be asked to contribute 50 cents towards expenses.

A wide variety of dance, mime, lectures, music, demonstrations by artists, theatre and poetry by amateurs and professionals will be offered in a relaxed environment. Lunches may be brought and coffee will be available.

Performers interested in participating should phone Open Space, 383-8833, for an appointment. School groups and ideas will be welcome.

EXPERIMENTS IN MUSIC

An evening of music entitled Music Drifts for Lab and Circus will be offered at Open Space Theatre, 510 Fort, Thursday, by Presicence, an experimental group whose members have been playing together for the last two years.

Performers are Michael Kenyon, Keith Pearson, Janice Prevedoros and Brad Prevedoros.

The music is totally improvised and will be created on the night of the performance starting at 8 p.m.

Mark Toby Works on Exhibit

Honoring internationally noted artist Mark Tobey on the occasion of his 85th birthday, Greater Victoria Art Gallery has organized an exhibition of his works.

It will open at the gallery, 1040 Moss, on Tuesday and remain on view through Feb. 1.

Frequently named by European art critics as among the first five most important living artists, Tobey gained international fame in the 1950s and in 1957 won the grand international prize at the world's major contemporary art show, the Venice Biennial.

For a number of years, from 1922, he resided in Seattle but travelled widely and through extended visits to China and Japan evolved his famous "white writing" style.

Always attracted to Victoria, he became a friend of Emily Carr in the '20s and his influence on her mature painting style was profound.

An exhibition of his work was held at Victoria Art Gallery in 1957 and in subsequent years he donated several works to its collection.

The coming exhibition is also a mark of appreciation to all those who have given works by Mark Tobey to the gallery's permanent collection.

Not Enough TV

CANTON, Ohio (AP) — Wide receiver Paul Warfield, who plays with Memphis, blames the lack of television exposure for the demise of the World Football League and the resultant "legal entanglements" for keeping him idle.

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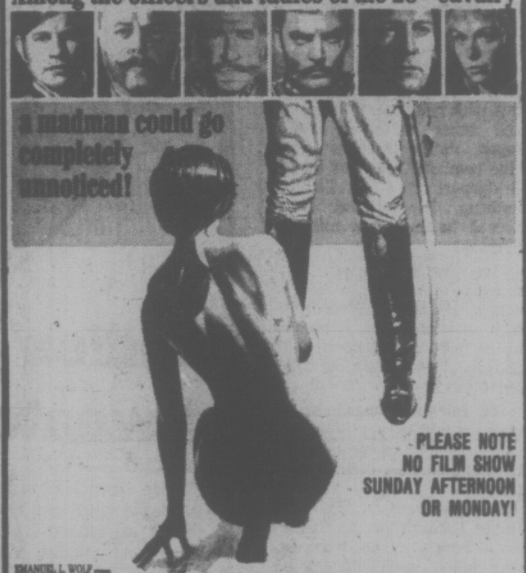

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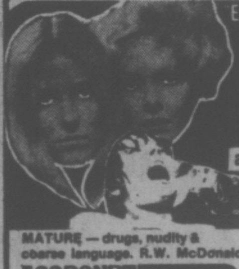

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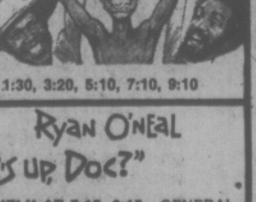

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Lesson Comes From Jail

NEW HAVEN, Conn. (AP) — Teacher Catherine Tuttle gave her seventh-grade pupils a lesson that no longer is uncommon in many schools: what it's like to be in jail.

Mrs. Tuttle and 89 other New Haven teachers were freed to return to classrooms at the end of an illegal strike, repeating a scene that occurred recently in Massachusetts, Illinois and New York.

"I didn't feel it was degrading," the young teacher of English said of her 11 days in Niantic women's prison. "I knew why I was there."

She and four other women teachers joined in prison routine with convicted murderers and other criminals while seven male teachers wore blue convicts' uniforms at the Bridgeport state jail. The remaining 78 strikers were housed in a vacant military barracks.

Mrs. Tuttle said the initial reaction of her pupils on her return to East Rock community school was curiosity about jail, not contempt or disrespect because of her legal tangle.

She and other teachers say they do not expect jailing to cause disciplinary problems if teachers explain their reason for going to jail.

The president of the New Haven Federation of Teachers, Frank Carrano, who also was jailed, said that "good discipline isn't based on blind obedience in the classroom" and students seem to understand that teachers chose jail because they felt the school board and legislature were making unfair demands on them.

"The (no-strike) law is so one-sided. It gives the board a loaded gun to point at the teachers," he said.

But Superior Court Judge George A. Saden disagreed. It was he who jailed the 12 union negotiators and 78 rank-and-file members—the first such mass jailing of teachers who are not union leaders in Connecticut history.

"You are supposed to inspire the young impressionable minds that you teach," he told the striking teachers in a courtroom lecture. He argued that their choice of jailing would reduce their effectiveness as teachers and suggested the school board consider firing them.

He fined the 90 teachers and the union a total of $224,500 as part of their civil contempt penalties. The fines, which the union's parent American Federation of Teachers (AFT) will pay, will go to the board of education.

Connecticut is one of 25 states allowing teachers to join a union or other bargaining group but also prohibiting them from striking, according to the AFT. Three other states permit teachers to bargain collectively and to strike.

Striking teachers in Schenectady, N.Y., Lynn, Mass., and Shelton, Conn., were jailed this fall for contempt of court.

In addition, no-picketing orders led to house arrest during non-working hours for about 200 Wilmington, Del., teachers for demonstrations.

A Chicago teacher union leader is appealing a strike-related, five-month jail sentence, an AFT spokesman said.

LUMINESCENT FISH FOUND AT 6,000 FEET

JAKARTA (AFP) — A new luminescent fish has been discovered at a depth of more than 6,000 feet off Ambon Island in the South Moluccas.

The Antara Indonesian News Agency said the fish gave off such a bright light that all lamps in an expedition vessel's laboratory could be switched off during its examination.

The fish which is a member of the Melanocitidae family, has been named the "angler fish" because of a kind of hook it used to kill its prey.

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Family Waits For Visas

By MARK BRAYNE

MOSCOW (Reuter) — In November last year, Valentin Agapov, a Russian sailor on a fishing refrigerator ship working in the Baltic, stepped ashore in Stockholm after an argument on board, and decided not to return home.

Two months later, he rang his wife Lyudmila at their apartment in Kaliningrad, a small town outside Moscow, to tell her what he had done and ask her to bring their 12-year-old daughter and his aging mother out to follow him.

Now, a year after Valentin left, all three still are without visas. They say they are hounded by the police, spurned by their once-friendly neighbors, and Lyudmila is without a job. In Russia, a flight abroad still is considered as evil as selling one's country.

The Agapov case, which came to public attention earlier this month when Valentin threatened to commit suicide outside the Soviet Embassy in Stockholm unless his family were allowed out, has underlined the difficulties facing the relatives of those who defect.

The day after Valentin phoned, Mrs. Agapov said recently, she was summoned to the "first department" of her enterprise—representing the KGB secret police—to be told that he faced 15 years in jail if he dared return.

Two months later she said she was fired from her job as an engineer at a factory and put under constant surveillance.

"I know that our neighbors in our shared communal flat have been spying on me from the very first days," she said.

The antagonism encountered by Lyudmila Agapov is in many ways similar to the lot of those left behind by emigrating Jews. Although these leave completely legally, they are deprived of their Soviet citizenship and referred to by the press as "traitors."

And even White Russians and Ukrainians who left their homelands during the Second World War to live in Western Europe often find when they return to visit their old homes as much as 30 years later that their former friends still accuse them of betrayal.

Soviet law is clear and concise on the question of illegal flight. As an "especially dangerous state crime," together with espionage, treason and conspiracy to seize power, in extreme circumstances it can earn the death penalty.

The law, Article 64 of the Russian penal code, also stipulates similar sentences—10 years at least—for "refusal to return from abroad to the U.S.S.R."

This is the term Valentin Agapov could expect if he were to return, and the sentence handed down on Lithuanian seaman Simas Kudirka in 1971 after the U.S. Coast Guard handed him back to his fellow crew members when he jumped aboard an American ship in a bid to defect.

Kudirka, whose mother is an American citizen, was released and allowed to emigrate last year, but only after the U.S. government had intervened on his behalf at the highest level.

Technically, the sentence could also be applied to such famous defectors as ballet stars Rudolph Nureyev, Natalya Makarova and Mikhail Baryshnikov, and to lesser individuals ranging from scientists to journalists who have stayed abroad.

As far as can be seen from the outside, the law against defection appears to be as much a reflection of popular distrust towards anyone who may want to leave Russia as a measure imposed from above.

Residence Appeal To Continue

An appeal hearing into the licence suspension of Alston Residence will continue next Wednesday after opening with 3½ hours of testimony Thursday.

Provincial authorities suspended the licence of the Victoria West boarding home Friday and escorted mentally-ill patients being cared for there to other accommodation.

The home, operated by Mr. and Mrs. Rudolf Baldauf, had asked that the residents be relocated because the government would not increase its $280-a-month allowance for their care.

"They were even questioning our relationship with each other," Mrs. Baldauf said today of the hearing Thursday.

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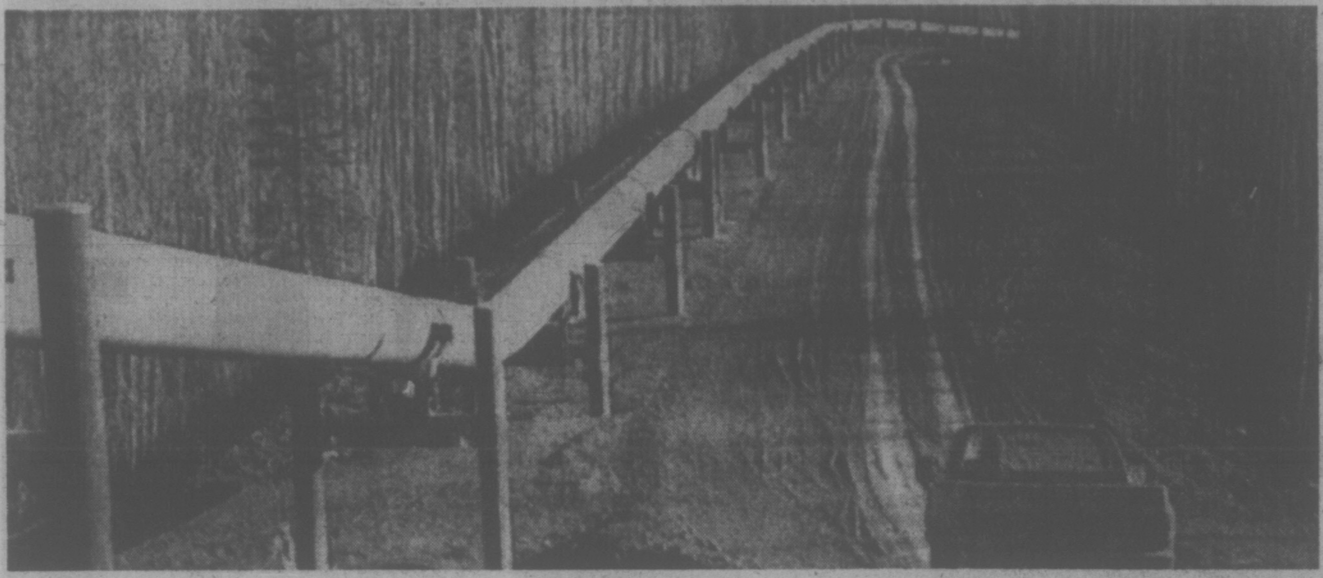

The long, long road a winding . . . permafrost and pipeline

An 800-Mile Snake Cutting Alaska in Middle

By The Associated Press

The Alaska pipeline meanders across the state like a giant snake for 800 miles from Prudhoe Bay on the Arctic shore to the ice-free port of Valdez in the south.

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The $6.4-billion project was started in April, 1974, by the Alyeska Pipeline Supply Co. and is the largest privately-financed construction project in history. It is 40 per cent complete, and by mid-1977 shipment of oil at a rate of 1.2 million barrels a day is expected to begin.

The project has not been without controversy. Environmentalists worried that the pipeline would slice across caribou migration paths.

As a concession to them, the line, which is strong enough to withstand earthquakes and the severe extremes of temperatures, has been elevated to permit bear and deer to roam underneath.

The pipeline has brought new jobs sand big money for the state. The population of Fairbanks is up from 19,000 in 1973 to 33,000.

Construction workers have been earning as much as $1,860 a week.

Bank deposits in the state climbed from $656 million in 1974 an estimated $902 million this year.

But the boom has also caused a severe housing shortage, high rents and soaring prices for everything.

Oil boom and pipeline construction has brought problems, "but they are problems of growth," said C. W. Baer of the Fairbanks Chamber of Commerce. "They are a hell of a lot better than the problems of a dying community."

Pipeline country still home for Momma Bear

More Autos Registered

OTTAWA (CP) — Motor vehicle registrations during 1974 increased 8.3-per-cent from the 1973 total of 10,158,440.

Registrations of passenger vehicles were up 7.7 per cent to 8,472,224, trucks and tractors were up 10.1 per cent to 1,980,106, motorcycle registrations increased 11.6 per cent to 321,167 and bus registrations were up 7.2 per cent to 47,459.

VIETNAM DOOR OPEN TO U.S. OIL FIRMS

SINGAPORE (Reuter) — Seven months after the fall of Saigon, the Vietnamese are reopening their doors to American oil exploration companies.

One of the few places where Americans can make direct contact with the Vietnamese authorities is at the Hanoi trade mission in Singapore.

I was speaking with the head of the mission, Le Van Mau, at his luxurious white-painted villa in the eastern suburbs of Singapore when a taxi drove up and two men came to the front door.

Mau went to meet them, spoke briefly to the two and then returned to his large marble-floored lounge with two letters the men had handed to him.

"They were Americans," Mau said. "They want to return to my country to search for oil again."

Mau, chief representative in Singapore of Hanoi's national import-export corporation, said U.S. companies are welcome to resume offshore operations in Vietnam.

But he stressed that contracts made in South Vietnam with the former regime of President Nguyen Van Thieu are illegal and fresh applications have to be made.

"If they would like to return to make a contribution in oil exploration and to co-operate with the Vietnamese people, they (the Americans) can come," Mau said.

The Hanoi official has been working quietly here to build up trade again between Vietnam and the outside world.

Rice from South Vietnam has already begun flowing to Singapore.

The Singapore government is believed to be keen to take part in the reconstruction of Vietnam and the Singapore Chamber of Commerce has asked the Vietnamese if it can send a delegation to Hanoi and Saigon.

Petroleum exports from Singapore made up 87 per cent of the total two-way trade with the deposed Thieu government.

Oil and gas sales to South Vietnam in 1974 and the first four months of this year were worth $475 million.

This market disappeared when the Communists took control of Saigon and the loss has been a blow to Singapore's big refinery industry.

Although reunification of South and North Vietnam has yet to take place, Mau referred throughout the interview to Vietnam as one country.

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Christmas Plans of Pope Bared

VATICAN CITY (AP) — Pope Paul will mark Christmas Eve by closing the Holy Door through which millions of pilgrims entered St. Peter's Basilica in this Jubilee year, the Vatican announced Friday.

Then he will say midnight Mass under a canopy in St. Peter's Square. On Christmas morning the 78-year-old pontiff will say mass in St. Peter's Basilica followed at noon by his Christmas message to mankind.

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ON NEWLY-INDEPENDENT ISLANDS

More Than One Kind of Volcano

MORONI, Comoro Islands (AP) — These islands which recently became the 143rd member of the United Nations abound in tropical lagoons and contain a still-active volcano.

But even more potentially explosive are the political and economic problems facing this newly independent archipelago off East Africa, where 140 years of French-colonial rule has just come to an end.

The country's new government is faced on the one hand with a separatist movement, and on the other with an agricultural economy that pays most workers only 40 cents a day.

These struggles are not unique in developing countries, but the Comoros have an added strategic importance that belies their small size and their modest population of 300,000, mostly Moslems.

You can stand on the docks of Moroni, the capital, and watch supertankers pass with cargoes of oil from the Persian Gulf, around the Cape of Good Hope and into the Alantic.

These goliaths are too large for the newly reopened Suez Canal and they skirt the African coast, passing through the Mozambique Channel between nearby Madagascar Island, which makes up the leftist-led Malagasy Republic, and Marxist-controlled Mozambiqut on the African mainland. This is the shortest sea route around the tip of Africa to South America, the United States and Europe.

The Comoros lie at the northern entrance to the channel and form a potential military asset for either the East or West. This strategic position was appreciated by Arab slave traders and pirates who frequented the Comoros long before the French arrived.

One of the islands' chief economic assets is that they produce much of the jasmine and flower oil that is used as a basis for famous French perfumes.

French rule came to an abrupt halt last July 6 when Ahmed Abdallah, then premier, unilaterally declared independence and proclaimed himself president. A month later, Abdallah's political opponents overthew him in a bloodless coup and Ali Soilih was named leader.

France declared an emergency when independence was announced and flew in police reinforcements from its other Indian Ocean territories. But the French government announced soon after that it would accept independence for the three main islands—Grande Comoro, Moheli and Anjouan—where residents had voted overwhelmingly in favor of independence in a referendum last December.

The French stood by when the new regime ordered several hundred French civil servants out of the country.

But France has taken a firm stand on the future of the fourth main island—Mayotte—where the people voted against independence. Rioting broke out when independence was declared and Mayotte islanders forced all non-islanders into boats and sent them away.

The Mayotte people, led by Marcel Henri, have long been at odds with the other islands, charging discrimination in the marketing of their produce.

"We see France as a way of escaping domination by the other islands," one separatist said in an interview.

France seeks a further referendum this year to decide Mayotte's future and is keeping a garrison of 185 Legionnaires on the island.

Western diplomats in East Africa said there was a desire among Western nations to prevent the Soviet Union from any access to the Comoros.

One French diplomatic source said Secretary of State Henry Kissinger had asked France to keep Mayotte within the Western fold.

There was no confirmation of such a request, however, in Washington, where state department officials said the status of Mayotte was purely a French affair.

A more serious challenge for Soilih's administration is the economy, so long dependent on French investment and aid. Many of the 14,000 full-time jobs on the Comoros are held by French expatriates.

Workers among the native population are for the most part employed in agriculture. The majority are unemployed and live a simple life, in which the islands provide them with a rich assortment of crops including rice, sweet potatoes and fruits. There are just two secondary schools educating 200 of the 5,000 children of high school age.

The country has few paved roads and only this year have wells been dug to augment the rain-collected water supply.

The French and Abdallah between them, own all but 27 per cent of the land and new French investment to develop sugar, copra and other commodities has dried up.

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Little Faith In Politics, Survey Shows

TORONTO (CP) — A recent survey of 200 downtown office workers—from stenographers to senior executives—shows most of them have little faith in politicians, the Toronto Real Estate Board says.

The survey was undertaken for the board by Robert MacBain Associates Ltd., to discover the views and concerns of downtown office residents. Personnel from 12 unidentified companies participated.

Mr. MacBain said the survey indicates 75 per cent of those questioned believe politicians at all levels "grant favors to those who back their election campaigns."

An even larger group, 77½ per cent, do not believe politicians always put the public's interest first and only 13 per cent believe most of what politicians say, he said.

He added the survey also shows that the majority of those interviewed want a crackdown on guns. A total of 85½ per cent say there should be a stricter control of the use of all firearms, including registration and licensing.

Most of the office workers want street soliciting and begging stopped, Mr. MacBain said.

He said the survey indicates that a total of 68½ per cent object to people stopping them on the street and trying to interest them in religious tracts, body rub parlors or in giving them money and want soliciting banned.

Police disregard for the civil rights of criminals shows that 43½ per cent do not object to such practices, while 41 per cent do not object to police engaging in high-speed chases, he said.

Mr. MacBain said a total of 77½ per cent favor capital punishment in certain cases. Of these, 51 per cent say none of the murderers sentenced to death over the last 10 years should have had their sentences commuted.

He said a multiple-choice question to assess civil servants shows only 3 per cent rate governmeent employees with whom they deal as excellent. A total of 37 per cent rate them mediocre, while 30 per cent rate them indifferent and 29½ per cent say they are competent.

The survey reveals that 38½ per cent believe what they read in newspapers "most of the time," while 54½ per cent believe it "some of the time," he said.

Mr. MacBain said 91 per cent of those interviewed earned more than $10,000 a year and 4½ per cent more than $50,000 a year.

He said two out of three lived in the suburbs or outside Metropolitan Toronto and owned their own homes.

135 Tourists Allowed to Cross Mekong River

VIENTIANE (AP) — A group of 135 tourists stranded in Vientiane since the middle of November were allowed to cross the Mekong River border from Laos into Thailand Friday.

Most of the tourists were Australians. They crossed the river in small boats under a plan arranged by the Australian and Thai governments, diplomatic sources said.

Thailand closed crossings along its 800-mile border with Laos in November following two days of shooting between communist-led Pathet Lao troops and Thai naval patrols.

Indians Meet Cabinet Five

OTTAWA (CP) — Representatives of the National Indian Brotherhood met with five members of the federal cabinet Friday to discuss the establishment of a permanent liaison committee.

A spokesmas for the brotherhood said the meeting was to discuss the establishment of a mechanism for dealing with Indian land claims, the revision of the Indian Act and Indian rights in general.

She said both sides agreed not to reveal further details of the meeting until proposals discussed by the two groups had been put to the full cabinet.

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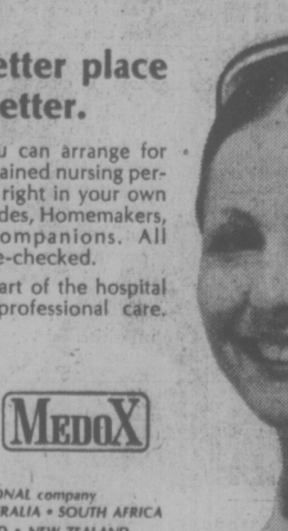
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Engagements

Smith—Windwick

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Smith, 4645 Blenkinsop Road, are pleased to announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter Valerie Gail, to Gregory L. Windwick, son of Mrs. Phyllis Windwick, 855 Hampshire Road, and the late Gordon C. Windwick.

The wedding will take place Saturday, December 27, 1975, at 5 p.m. in Oak Bay United Church, Rev. Wm. Z Van Druten officiating.

Hoogmoed—Hamilton

Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Hoogmoed of Winnipeg announce with pleasure the forthcoming marriage of their eldest daughter Margaret, to Thomas Neil Hamilton, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hamilton of Victoria.

The wedding will take place in Winnipeg on Saturday, the twentieth of December, 1975 in St. Vital Presbyterian Church.

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Weddings

House—Felsing

Reverend R. A. McLaren officiated at a double-ring ceremony in Cadboro Bay United Church on June 14, 1975, at 4 p.m. when Rosemarie, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johann Felsing exchanged wedding vows with Gregory Oliver House, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Alan House.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore her own designed dress of white polyester satin with lace bodice and bell sleeves. The dress was enhanced by a full chapel train. A Juliet cap held the waist-length, two-layer veil, and she carried a bouquet of yellow roses. The matron of honour Mrs. Elfie Roy, wore a spring green dress and the bridesmaids, Miss Jane Price and Miss Elizabeth Hoffmann wore identical floral dresses complemented by shoulder length veils held by Juliet caps with bouquets of yellow and white carnations. The flower girl, Lisa Roy, wore a pink Holly Hobbie dress and carried a miniature bouquet of pink and white carnations.

Mr. Kaz Kojder attended as best man and the ushers were Messrs. John Roy and Donald House.

The mother of the bride wore a full length peach colored sateen gown. She wore a white orchid corsage. The father wore a light beige suit.

The mother of the groom wore a floral print suit with white top. She also wore a white orchid corsage. The father wore a light checked suit.

A reception dinner and dance followed at the Victoria Edelweiss Club. The bride's sister-in-law, Mrs. Barbara Felsing, decorated a three-tiered wedding cake crowned by two bells with doves. The bride's brother, Mr. Harry Felsing officiated as master of ceremonies.

The couple left for a four-week honeymoon in Germany.

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Campbell—Dyson

Mr. and Mrs. E. Frank Burton are pleased to announce the marriage of their daughter Gayle Dorothy, to Mr. Ronald James Campbell.

The wedding took place December 5, 1975 in Victoria.

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Smith—Kelly

Reverend W. Mudge, uncle of the bride, officiated at the double-ring ceremony at Sacred Heart Church on August 23, 1975, when Patricia Mary Kelly, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Kelly, 4190 Blenkinsop Road, Victoria, exchanged wedding vows with Allen Lee Smith, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Smith, Valleyview, Alberta. The Reverend W. H. Bulloch was the organist.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore an elegant gown of nylon over taffeta. A shoulder-length chapel veil misted from a high headpiece of embroidered lace. The bride carried a bouquet of yellow daisies and white stephanotis with white ribbon streamers. Miss Patricia McLellan, maid of honour, and Miss Ann Kelly, bridesmaid, sister of the bride, wore matching gowns of green nylon taffeta with white picture hats with matching green bands. They carried bouquets of yellow daisies. Stephen Smith, brother of the groom, was best man. Ushers were Bill and Joe Kelly, brothers of the bride.

The reception was held at the White Eagle Hall. Toast to the bride was given by Mr. Bob Craddock. The young couple are now residing in Cold Lake, Alberta.

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Cathrine—Leno

Reverend P. D. Ross officiated at a beautiful double-ring ceremony in the Esquimalt United Church, on October 18, 1975, at 7 p.m. uniting in marriage Frances Nadine, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leno and John Richard Cathrine, eldest son of Mrs. Beverley Cathrine.

Frances was given in marriage by her Mom and Dad and attended by Miss Dawn Barron, Miss Su Meek, and her younger sister Barbara. John's attendants were Messrs. Charles Graham, Reg. Young and Clayton Cathrine.

The reception was held at the Esquimalt Recreation Centre. Out of town guests came from Kamloops, Nelson, Calgary and John's father and grandmother from Windsor, Ontario. Frances and John travelled to Southern California and Nevada for their honeymoon.

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Lejeune—Newcombe

Reverend Paul Hawkes officiated at a lovely fall wedding in Glad Tidings Penticostal Church at 2 p.m. November 15, 1975, when Barbara Jean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Newcombe, exchanged vows with Russell Clifford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lejeune. Mrs. Mary Anne Hawkes sang "The 23rd Psalm" during the signing of the Register. Also Chris, Anne, and Mary Dunton sang "The Wedding Prayer", accompanied by Gary Webb at the organ.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was lovely in a colonial gown of white cream-puff material with short veil. She carried yellow rosebuds and white carnations. Mrs. Brenda Magee was Matron of Honour and bridesmaids were Mrs. Laurene Sneade, Mrs. Conny Egedebo, and Mrs. Jane Lejeune. They wore long blue gowns, and carried white shasta daisies and yellow roses. The flower girl Sandra Wade was captivating in her long blue flowered dress, carrying identical bouquet. Ring-bearer, seven-year-old Gary Smith wore a brown suit and carried the rings on a satin pillow. Best man was Brian Sneade, ushers were Ervin Newcombe, Rollie Lejeune and Ted Lejeune. The mother of the bride wore a long blue gown with seeded pearls at the neckline. Her corsage was yellow and pink rosebuds. The mother of the groom wore a long beige and white floral gown. Her corsage was peach carnations.

The reception followed at the Olde England Inn, and Mr. Brian Coutts gave the toast to the bride. After a trip to California, the couple will reside in Victoria.

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Our Wedding

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Anniversaries

PORTER 50th GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY

Fifty years of married life is to be celebrated by Mr. and Mrs. Edwin George Porter, 2782 Foul Bay Road. they were married December 25, 1925, in Saskatoon and moved to Victoria in 1932. They have 3 children and 11 grandchildren.

Open House is to be held December 20, between 1-5, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Porter, 2782 Foul Bay Road. Relatives and friends are graciously invited.

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Scarff 60th

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Scarff celebrated their Diamond Wedding Anniversary on November 27, 1975. They were married 60 years ago in St. Andrew's Cathedral, Victoria, by Rev. Anselem Wood.

A small reception was held at Oak Bay Beach Hotel on Sunday, November 30, where Mr. and Mrs. Scarff enjoyed welcoming relatives and friends.

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Harvey 60th

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Harvey, celebrated their diamond anniversary on December 12, 1975. The couple were married in Eastend, Sask., in 1915, and have resided in Victoria area since 1945. Daughters Mrs. Dorothy Davidson and Mrs. Viola Humphreys and son Wilfred came from out of town, and with sons Ken and Robert of Victoria helped their parents celebrate the very Special Anniversary with a private dinner party at the Empress on December 12.

An Open House will be held on December 14 from 2-4:30 p.m. at the honored couple's residence 2820 Musgrave Street. Friends and neighbours are welcome. Son Allan of Calgary will be unable to attend.

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Stewart 50th

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Stewart of 512 Northcott Ave. will celebrate their Golden wedding anniversary on December 19, 1975, with a family dinner party at the Empress Hotel Dining Room. A reception has been arranged by their son Evan and daughter-in-law Patsy Stewart, also son-in-law Dennis and daughter Kathleen Podmore of Kamloops. They have three granddaughters Patti and Cindilee Stewart also, granddaughter Shelly Podmore and grandson Gregory and his wife Karen and great-granddaughter Tanya Podmore of Kamloops.

Open House will be held at the home of their son and daughter-in-law 4418 Chartwell Drive on Saturday, December 20, 1975, between 2-5, and 7-9 (No gifts Please).

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BLUNT — Kenneth and Lesley Blunt are very pleased to announce the birth of their son, Craig Peveril, 9 lbs. 14 ozs., on December 9th, 1975. A brother for Nicola. Many thanks to Dr. Barnard and Maternity Staff at Royal Jubilee Hospital.

GLOVER — Born to Phil and Marie (nee Adams) on Dec. 2nd, 1975, at Royal Jubilee Hospital, a boy, Brent Philip, 7 lbs. 13 oz. Thanks to Dr. R. J. Campbell and a great maternity staff. (Insured.)

MARSHALL—Born to Mr. and Mrs. David S. S. Marshall (nee Carol Ruttan), 444 Transit Road, Victoria, B.C., on December 8, 1975, a son, Jonathan Charles Sherwood, 7 lbs. 13 ozs.

STEFAN — Jake and Judy Stefan (nee MacKay) are pleased to announce the safe arrival of their fourth son, Peter John, on November 4th, 1975, at Immaculate Hospital, Westlock, weight 9 lbs. 6 oz., new brother for Sandy, Teddy and Charlie (a grandchild for Mrs. Neil MacKay of Ontario Street, Victoria, B.C.)

5 DEATHS and FUNERALS

BATEMAN—In Victoria, B.C. on December 12, 1975, Mrs. Sybil Gladys Bateman, aged 70 years, born in India, late residence, Suite 1807 - 1147 Quadra St. She leaves her daughter, Mrs. Betty O'Looney and grandson, Benedict, Wilmington, Delaware.

Arrangements will be announced later by the Sands Mortuary Limited.

SANDS — VICTORIA

BOWEN — ON December 10, 1975, in hospital in Victoria, Inspector Robert C. Bowen, aged 92 years, of 415 Tipton Ave., Colwood, a resident here since 1942, formerly Officer Commanding, R.C.M.P., for Victoria from 1942-1947. He leaves one daughter, Mrs. C. J. (Suzanne) Schroeder with whom he resided; 2 grandsons, Brian and Robert; 1 granddaughter Jean; 4 great-grandchildren; nieces and a nephew. He served with the Durham Light Infantry in the Boer War and the Mounted Police Dispatch Division in World War One.

Funeral service in McCall Bros. Chapel, Johnson and Vancouver Sts. on Monday, Dec. 15 at 2 p.m. with the Rev. C. A. Hamer and the Rev. J. Titus officiating. (Flowers gratefully declined).

BROWN—In hospital on December 11, 1975, Mrs. Lilian Beatrice Brown, aged 87 years of 959 Brechin Road, Nanaimo. Born in England and came to Canada in 1955. She leaves her son, Harold Brown of Nanaimo; daughter, Mrs. Sylvia Jones Victoria and four grandchildren.

Funeral service will be held on Monday, December 15, 1975, at 1 p.m. in Hayward's Thomson and Irving Chapel, 1625 Quadra Street at Balmoral. Archdeacon A. E. Hendy officiating.

DUNCAN—George M. Duncan, aged 89 of Seal Beach, California. Mr. Duncan was born January 3, 1886 Ellon, Scotland, the son of Peter and Annie Marr Duncan. He was predeceased by his wife Barbara. He leaves his son William Duncan of McMinnville, three grandchildren, Douglas Duncan of San Jose, California, Cheryl Hobbs of Springfield, Missouri, Kirk Duncan of Anchorage, Alaska. Daughter-in-law Jeanette Duncan, Sister-in-law: Winnifred Blakely, Los Angeles, California. He was chief Bridge Engineer of B.C. Designed and supervised many of the famous bridges in B.C. He was an artist and veteran of the Canadian Army. He retired in 1951. In 1966 the couple moved to Leisure World in California. He had moved to McMinnville earlier this year upon the sickness of his wife who passed away in July.

Private interment was held in Mt. Crest Abbey. Funeral directors in charge: Macy and Son, McMinnville, Oregon 97128.

EMBLETON—In hospital on December 11, 1975, after a brief illness, Mrs. Margaret Irene Embleton, age 74 years. Born in Indian Head, Sask. and had been a resident of Sooke, B.C. for the past 15 years, late residence, 6735 Eustace Road. She leaves her loving husband, Tom Embleton, at home, son, Bob, Esquimalt, B.C., brother Fred Cooper, Campbell River, B.C.; sisters Ethel, in Australia, Mrs. Ann Hogue, Campbell River, B.C. and Mrs. Jean Purcell, Vancouver, B.C., nieces and nephews.

Service will be held in the Sands Funeral Chapel of Heather, Colwood, B.C. on Tuesday December 16, 1975 at 1 p.m. Rev. J. Murray officiating. Flowers gratefully declined. Those so desiring may contribute to the B.C. Heart Foundation, 1008 Blanshard Street, Victoria, B.C.

SANDS — COLWOOD

HARLAND — In Victoria, B.C., Mr. Maurice William Harland, aged 75 years, born in Darlington, England, late residence, 723 Yates St. He leaves his sons, Dennis Charles Harland, Glendale, Calif. and Robert William Harland, North Bend, Oregon, and his daughter, Mrs. Jeanette Cooper, Beaverton, Oregon.

Service will be held in the Sands Mortuary Limited, "Memorial Chapel of Chimes," on Tuesday, December 16th, 1975 at 11:30 a.m. Rev. Father W. H. Bullock officiating.

SANDS—VICTORIA

HILL — On December 11th, 1975 at Duncan, B.C., Mr. Glenn Wallace Hill, beloved husband of Margaret Hill of Cherry Point, Cowichan Station, aged 64 years. Mr. Hill had been employed in the mining industry till his retirement. Mr. Hill served with the Canadian armed forces in the war of 1939-45, in the European theatre of operations. He was a member of the Cobble Hill branch of the Royal Canadian Legion. Besides his loving wife, Mr. Hill is survived by two sons, Ron in Duncan and Ken in Trail, a daughter, Mrs. Kay Gordon in Cranbrook. Nine grandchildren, two great-grandchildren. Three brothers, Bill and Mel in Corning, Sask. and Roy in Castlegar, a sister Mrs. Stella Mills, Corning, Sask.

Service will be held on Monday, December 15th, in Sands Hirst Funeral Chapel at 1:30 p.m. with the Rev. R. Dobson officiating. Flowers are gratefully declined. Sands Hirst Funeral Chapel are in care of arrangements.

SANDS HIRST — DUNCAN

MEUGENS — In Victoria on December 11, 1975, Mary Margaretta Meugens aged 72 years of 1300 May St., born in Glen Ewen, Sask., resident here since 1970, late of Burnaby. Widow of Leo Meugens, she leaves 1 son and daughter-in-law, Alex and Beth Hayward of Oxbow, Sask.; 5 grandchildren; 8 great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by her first husband, Newton Hayward in 1948 and a daughter Margaret Barber in 1963. She also leaves 4 sisters and 2 brothers, Mrs. Katie Tyhurst, Mrs. Lillian Branson, Mrs. Etta Bishop, Mrs. Evelyn Shier and John McKillop of Oxbow and Dave McKillop of Regina.

Funeral service in McCall Bros. Chapel, Johnson and Vancouver Sts. on Monday, Dec. 15 at 3:30 p.m. (Flowers gratefully declined. Donations, if desired, may be made to the Heart Fund, 1008 Blanshard St.)

RAMSAY — Suddenly on October 11th, 1975, James Alexander Ramsay, aged 70 years, at his home, 18 College Street, Stratford-on-Avon, England, beloved husband of Florence Alura Catterels.

SESSIONS — On December 10, 1975, in Victoria, Gerald Charles Sessions, aged 87 years, of 1048 Craigdarrock Rd., born in Bristol, England, resident here since 1955, formerly of Prince Rupert and Terrace where he was the C.N.R. agent. He is survived by his wife, Daisy Sevilla; one son, Brian P. of Victoria; one daughter, Mrs. J. (Audrey) Bremner of Victoria; four grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; a twin sister, Gladys, in Bristol, England. He was a member of the Masonic Order in Terrace and Prince Rupert. He served in World War One as a Lieutenant with the Canadian Expeditionary Force.

Funeral service in the FAMILY CHAPEL of McCall Bros. on Monday, Dec. 15, at 1:00 p.m. (No flowers by request.)

5 DEATHS and FUNERALS

SIDDON — In Victoria on December 8, 1975, Wilbert Eugene Siddon in his 60th year, born in Grand Forks, B.C. and resident here since 1946, of 3611 Quadra St. He leaves his loving wife Margaret; 2 sons, Michael of Errington, Dennis and daughter-in-law Valerie of Victoria; 1 daughter, Mrs. H. G. (Elizabeth) Willis of Prince George; 3 grandchildren; brothers, J. L. Siddon, Kitimat, Archie of Ocean Falls and Robert in Alberta; sisters Mrs. Nettie Fisher, Montreal, Mrs. Dorothy Dawson, Elnora, Alta., Olga, Vancouver, Oda Elsie and Donna Ann in Alberta; numerous other relatives in Ontario, Alberta and B.C. He was a member of the B.C.D.'s in the Second World War and was an Honorary member of the Canadian Scottish Sergeant's Mess.

The funeral service will be held in McCall Bros. FLORAL CHAPEL on Friday, Dec. 12, at 2:15 p.m.

WAIN — In Victoria on December 11, 1975, Mr. William Henry Wain, aged 81 years, of 1211 Montrose Avenue, a native son of Victoria. He leaves his wife, Viola; daughter and son-in-law, Viola and Roger Loughney; grandchildren, Janice and Sandra.

Funeral service in McCall Bros. Chapel, Johnson and Vancouver Sts. on Monday, Dec. 15 at 11:00 a.m. (Flowers gratefully declined. Donations, if desired, may be made to the Cancer Fund, 857 Caledonia Ave.)

8 CARDS OF THANKS

The family of the late Archie Taylor wish to thank all relatives and friends, neighbors, and coworkers, for cards, flowers and all donations to the Heart Fund, and sympathy in the loss of a dear husband and father. — Rose Taylor and family.

9 IN MEMORIAM

MOORE—In loving memory of Captain James E. Moore who passed away Dec. 14, 1970. Lovingly remembered by his wife Peggy and daughter Lorraine, son Joseph and grandchildren.

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14 ANNOUNCEMENTS

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14 ANNOUNCEMENTS

VANCOUVER ISLAND KIDNEY Patients Association raffle, drawn on Dec. 6, 1975. Winners are: Jim McCall, Mrs. V. Young, W. Milton. Many thanks to all donors and participants.

15 COMING EVENTS and MEETINGS

BINGO
ESQUIMALT LEGION
SUNDAY, DEC. 14, 1 P.M.
20 Games—$1.00 Admission
Extra Cards 25c each
6 Cards $2.00
5 Extra Games—25c per Card
Also Early Brid Games
EVERYBODY WELCOME

ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE BINGO
ESQUIMALT LEGION
EVERY SUNDAY 7 P.M.
Early Birds 6:30 p.m.
20 Main Games
All Games $20 or More
2 Jackpot Games
5 Extra Games 25c a Card
FREE BUS TO TOWN
In aid of veteran benevolence, senior citizens housing and juvenile sports.

VICTORIA FISH AND GAME
ANNUAL TURKEY SHOOT
DEC. 13 AND 14
10 a.m. till dusk
at new Malahat Grounds—Holker Place. Trap .22 calibre—archery shoots.
Refreshments—
Everybody welcome

Victoria Elks Bingo
Saturday, December 13,
7 P.M.
Old Age Pensioners Hall
Govt. St.
1 Card, $1.00
6 Cards, $2.00
Extra Cards 25c
In Aid of Local Charities

VICTORIA-COLUMBIA LODGE, A.F. and A.M., No. 1. Members are reminded of the Annual Ladies' Night to be held in the Masonic Temple, 650 Fisgard St., on Thursday, December 18th, at 8 p.m. Also the Annual Installation by the Grand Master which will take place on Saturday, January 3rd, 1976 at 2:30 p.m. at the Masonic Temple followed by a Banquet at the Empress Hotel about 6:30 p.m.

C.S.F.—GREATER VICTORIA HELP Society. Monthly meeting December 15th at 8 p.m. Music Room, Central Jr. High. Video tape showing interview with Dr. Hoffer, counsellors and people we helped. We would like to see the people who contacted us during the last year; we need your support to help others! Question period — Megavitamin literature available.

PRINCE RUPERT NIGHT
Twentieth annual reunion Sat. April 24, 1976. St. Mary's Hall, Vancouver. For tickets for further information call S. Alexander 385-5465 Victoria.

BINGO
Non-Status Indians. Langford Legion Branch No. 91. Monday 7:30 p.m. Early Bird Games start at 7. 6 cards $2. Extra cards 25c. Everyone welcome.

INEXPENSIVE ARTS AND crafts Christmas gift sale. Central Junior Secondary foyer, Wed., December 17—3:30-8:00. Pottery—Planters—Batik—Leather Weaving —Jewelry.

IOF ADULT'S CHRISTMAS Dance, Dec. 20th, 9-1 p.m. Tickets 642-5418, 479-7425 Pioneer and Jubilee Rooms, Esquimalt Recreation Centre. 527 Fraser.

NETBALL
Ladies interested in playing Netball, in Victoria, phone 937-0447 collect, 6 p.m. to 7 p.m.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF foresters: Children's Christmas Party, Dec. 14th, 1 to 4 p.m. 385-6149, 479-1078.

CHRISTMAS BINGO, PROSPECT Lake Community Hall, Saturday Dec. 13, 8 p.m. Ham, turkey and cash.

MYSTERY TOURS
Leaves V.I. Coach Lines depot every Sunday at 1:30 p.m. Return 5 p.m., $4.50 includes tea. 385-4411.

OIL PAINTINGS BY EVALON (Eveline Glew) December 15th-20th, 10-4 p.m. Emily Carr Art Centre, 207 Government.

REGULAR SATURDAY OLD time dance 9-12, Columbian Orchestra, St. Alban's Hall. Coffee. 479-8803.

New Year's Eve Dance, St. Alban's Hall, Ryan St., 9 'til ! $7.50 each. Supper. Phone 470-8803. Columbian Old Time Orchestra.

20 LOST and FOUND

LOST: DEC. 11 IN CURTEIS Point, Swartz Bay area medium sized white sheepdog, has North Saanich dog tag and answers to "Seadog" 656-4018 or 384-4912 or 656-5204.

LOST: 4-MONTH-OLD FEMALE kitten, dark grey with white markings on chest and paws, Goldstream-Colwood Corner area. Phone after 4 p.m., 479-1635.

LOST: DEC. 8, FEMALE TERRIER cross pup, 4 months, grey with white legs, and face. Leather collar and white flea collar. 477-9990, 5-7 p.m.

LOST: LADIES GLASSES, BIFOCALS with large dark brown rim. Fairways Shopping Centre area. 384-6845.

LOST — AT HILLSIDE-DONCASTER Belgian sheep dog. Answers to the name of Bandit. Lost since the 1st. Reward. 477-0704.

LOST: WHITE MALE SHEPHERD samoyed cross with chain and flea collar answers to "Tarkey". 477-3484.

LOST — FEMALE SIAMESE cat, Chamberlain, Oak Bay area. Please phone 592-9067 anytime after 5.

FOUND: GREY CAT, WHITE boots, mustache and throat. Mayfair area. 388-7642.

FOUND: SMALL BLACK KITTEN with white markings, near Central High School. 382-3050.

LOST; READING GLASSES IN light brown case on Fort St., Wed., Dec. 10th, reward. 385-7237.

LOST: FOUR MONTHS Springer Spaniel liver and white, Glen Lake, reward. 478-8429.

LOST: BLACK WALLET BEtween downtown and Oak Bay junction area. 595-3580.

LOST — MINATURE COLLIE, brown and white. Happy Valley area. 3 months old. 478-8446.

LOST: HAPPY VALLEY AREA white and brindle female whippet (dog), reward. 478-0985.

FOUND: CHALET RD., FEMALE Siamese. 656-6291, 656-3541.

21 HELP WANTED GENERAL

ADVERTISEMENTS IN THIS CLASSIFICATION MUST COMPLY WITH THE BRITISH COLUMBIA HUMAN RIGHTS ACT

LIVE-IN COMPANION NEEDED by elderly lady in Oak Bay. Must be able to drive, non-smoker. Victoria Press Box 83.

EXPERIENCED FRONT DESK Receptionist required for hotel. Reply Victoria Press Box 58.

REGISTERED NURSE URGENTLY requires babysitter in my home, 477-9904 anytime.

BABYSITTER WANTED — DONCASTER school area, after school. 595-8278.

HAIRDRESSER FULL OR PART time, experience required. 479-6522 transportation. 383-7619. or after 6 658-1169.

BABYSITTER FOR 8 YEAR OLD, Esquimalt area. Must have own

21 HELP WANTED GENERAL

Government of Canada
CUSTOMS INSPECTOR TRAFFIC
Revenue Canada
Customs and Excise
Victoria, B.C.

This competition is open to both men and women, with preference given to residents of Victoria, B.C. and locality.

SALARY: $10,767—$$12,193.

DUTIES: Under supervision, conducts the primary Immigration examination of persons entering Canada and the primary Customs examination of the goods in their possession; enforces conformity with the Customs Act; collaborates with Law enforcement agencies of Canada and other countries; advises the travelling public, brokers, importers, exporters and carriers regarding the correct interpretation of Customs Acts and Regulations and performs other related duties.

QUALIFICATION: Requires demonstrated capacity for administrative work combined with the ability normally required for complete secondary school education or University graduation. Knowledge of the English language is essential. Willingness to work shift assignments consistent with local requirements.

Apply by December 21, 1975, quoting Reference No. 75-NRCE-OC-VAN-37 to: Customs and Excise, Personnel Administration, Custom House, 33rd Floor, 1001 West Pender Street, Vancouver, B.C. V6E 2M8. Obtain application form PSC 367-4110 at Post Offices, Canada Manpower Centres or offices of the Public Service Commission of Canada.

ADMINISTRATOR

Applications are invited for the position of Administrator for the Cumberland Diagnostic and Treatment Centre and Intermediate Care Unit in Cumberland, Vancouver Island, B.C. The present facility provides a Diagnostic and Treatment Centre and 18 Intermediate Care beds in the previous Cumberland General Hospital building. New construction of a Diagnostic and Treatment Centre and 50 Intermediate Care beds is well advanced.

The Administrator is responsible for the overall operation of the facility and reports directly to the Board of Trustees.

Preferable qualifications would include an H. O. M. certificate or equivalent. Knowledge of Canadian hospital accounting and general accounting procedures are essential.

Cumberland is located in the beautiful Comox Valley approximately 70 miles north of Nanaimo on Vancouver Island.

Applicants are requested to submit a resume, indicating education, experience, references and salary expected.

Applications will be received up to and including January 15th, 1976. Please address your applications, marked "Confidential" to:

Chairman,
Board of Trustees,
Cumberland General Hosp.
P.O. Drawer 400,
Cumberland, B.C. V0R 1S0.
Telephone: (604) 336-2211.

Dining Room
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CHARMING and PERSONABLE. Must have waitress-waiter and hostess-host experience. Mature. Please phone for interview, Fred Wieland, 382-4221.
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MOTEL TRAILER PARK COMplex is in need of a full time competent handyperson. Must be experienced in carpentry, plumbing, painting etc. and be willing to work. Victoria Press, Box 73.

ELECTRICIAN TO DO ELECtrical and home mechanical work. Good pay and good benefits. Steady job for right person. Local Victoria Manufacturing Firm, contact Plant Engineer at 383-4128.

MATURE KINDLY LADY TO help with invalid mother. Night work required. Light sleeper. Live in or out. Ample time off. References required. Phone 479-6435 or 477-6657.

WANTED RETIRED STENOGRApher to take dictation of few letters about once a week, for disabled man at his apartment. Typing on stenographer's own machine. Phone 595-1279.

GOOD HOUSEKEEPER WITH own car to take care of house and two children, 3 and 7 years, 3-6 p.m., Mon.-Fri., Tattersall area, $50 per week, 384-0031.

FULL AND PART TIME FOR 8 people. Car required. Pleasant working conditions and top money. Advancement possible. 921 Fort Street.

LIVE-IN SITTER, GENERAL housekeeping, required for 2 children, age 10 and 4 years, room and board, plus remuneration. 656-4481.

WE REQUIRE CHAMBER PERson for Motel work. Must be experienced and mature. Please contact Manager, Jolly Knight Motel, 388-5461 for interview.

WAITER - WAITRESS WANTED — must be mature and dependable to work evening shift 7 p.m. 'til 3 a.m. Phone 386-3833 or apply at 701 Fort St.

CAPABLE MATURE HOUSEkeeper for couple in modern city home. Live-in, 5-day week, good wages, references. Victoria Press, Box 12.

EXPERIENCED RESIDENT caretaker couple for 83-suite apartment block. Pool experience an asset. Send complete resume to Victoria Press, Box 51.

EXPERIENCED DINING ROOM waiter-waitresses required immediately. Apply in person only 270 Government.

FOR PURCHASING DEPARTment, excellent opportunity for advancement. Andrew Sheret Limited. Phone for appointment.

21 HELP WANTED GENERAL

Shaughnessy Hospital
IN-SERVICE EDUCATION INSTRUCTOR
(Acute and Extended Care)

DUTIES:
Under the supervision of the In Service Co-ordinator to organize, implement and evaluate the In-Service Programmes of the Nursing Department.

QUALIFICATIONS:
Eligibility for registration in B.C. min. of three years experience with demonstrated teaching and supervisory ability post basic education in Nursing Administration or Adult Education. Baccalaureate Degree preferred.

Salary and benefits in accordance RMABC Agreement.
Applications to: Staffing Officer, Shaughnessy Hospital, 4500 Oak Street, Vancouver, B.C. V6H 3N1.

WANTED
Students to sell Victoria Times in the downtown City area. Afternoons 3:30 to 5:30 (Mon. to Sat.). Guaranteed daily profits, plus prizes and cash awards. Apply in person, rear of 1215 Broad St. any afternoon, between 3 P.M. and 5 P.M.

MAINTENANCE PROGRAM PERson, good all round handy person to supervise and instruct small group of handicap people and see to all maintenance, improvement and program relating to building and grounds. To be carried out within the Spring Wood Residential Training Program at Brentwood. Person should be of a warm and mature nature, able to relate with respect handicap co-workers. Would work as a team member with other program colleages. Class 4 drivers licence essential. Applications with references to the Executive Director, 3—631 Fort Street, Victoria, B.C.

STUDENTS ADULTS
are required for temporary morning newspaper route deliveries. Generous payment plan based on route or routes delivered daily. A car would be needed. Contact Mr. Fox or Mr. Elliot at 383-41111, Colonist Circulation Dept.

PAUL'S Restaurant Ltd.
Wanted — Experienced waiters and waitresses for full time employment, apply 1900 Douglas St. between 2 and 3 p.m.

ACCOUNTANT FOR AUtomobile dealer, automobile experience preferred but would consider individual with good accounting experience. Capable of handling small office and preparation of monthly financial statements, should have formal accounting training. Many company benefits and an opportunity to progress with a growing company. For appointment — B. Yeomans 758-1191.

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RAYMOND SALON
REQUIRES
HAIR STYLISTS
Earn a good income—no clientele necessary. Work in beautiful air-conditioned salon in Woodward's Stores, Mayfair Shopping Centre. For appointment call Mrs. Braidwood at 386-3322, local 304.

POSITION OPEN FOR A COOK. This is a casual position only and will involve sick and vacation relief. Suitable for retired person. Applicants must be qualified and experienced in all phases of cooking. Only those interested in casual employment need apply. Applications received to December 18th, 1975, at The Royal Jubilee Hospital, 1900 Fort St., Victoria.

BUS DRIVER
Experienced driver wanted for Port Renfrew school run, must hold valid Class II licence. Please apply in writing to Watson and Ash Transportation, 3361 Wellsmith Cres.

WORLD WIDE OFFICE EQUIPment firm with branches across Canada has a local opening for a person who is looking for a permanent career in sales, previous selling experience not essential. We stress personality, appearance, mechanical inclination, enthusiasm. Salary paid during training period. 382-5181 for an interview.

LIVE-IN HOMEMAKERS
Opportunities for semi-retired ladies to help their local communities. Your experience needed by HEALTH CARE SERVICES UPJOHN LIMITED. Call us at 388-6639 Monday - Friday, 9 - 4:30.

157 NEWSPAPER CARRIERS wanted, all areas. Gordon Head and Oak Bay. Call 477-2560. Sidney and Saanich North of Royal Oak, Call 479-6848. Other areas call 383-5822. Weds. after school deliveries.

SIDNEY BEAUTY SALON NEEDS apprentice. We would like to find a neat person who is co-operative, willing to work and has loads of personality. For interview call 656-2233.

LIVE-IN HOUSEKEEPER FOR elderly gentleman. Good location and salary. Close to bus service. Phone 592-2828.

PART-TIME JOB IN SMALL guest house for person who loves cooking. 385-4632.

22 OFFICE HELP

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EXPERIENCED STENOGRApher, receptionist required for chartered accountants office, pleasant working conditions and competitive salary. Apply Victoria Press, Box 70.

A DENTAL HYGIENIST IS REquired in a new modern prevention oriented office. This opportunity will be available Jan. 5. Please reply promptly to Victoria Press Box 68.

JUNIOR LEGAL SECRETARY required. Must have good typing. Some legal office experience and be willing to train on Mag Card. $500-$650. 386-9021.

TELLER
Required by large trust company. Must have 6 months teller experience. Please phone Mrs. Alexander 386-1361.

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22 OFFICE HELP

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AN OPENING IS AVAILABLE for a certified dental assistant, reply with particulars to Victoria Press, Box 69.

SECRETARY, TYPING AND bookkeeping skills essential. Contact Mr. Turner, 652-1111.

23 SKILLED TRADES

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FULLY QUALIFIED REFRIGERATION TECHNICIAN
Union rates, to work on commercial refrigeration and installation of air conditioning. Must be able to work without supervision. Work consists of repairs and istallation of all makes of refrigeration, air condition equipment. Steady employment, full medical and dental. To start immediately. Full resume to Victoria Refrigeration, Air Conditioning Ltd., 538 Hillside Ave., 385-9752.

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25 TEACHERS

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Government of Canada
PRIMARY TEACHER
(Grades 1 and 2)
Department of Indian And Northern Affairs

Location: Kitwancool Day School, 42 miles West of Hazelton.

Applicants must possess valid teacher's certificate. Salary is based on certification and experience. Isolated post allowances.

Apply IMMEDIATELY quoting Reference No. 75-V-IAN-4.

Obtain Application Form PSC 367-4110 at Post Offices, Canada Manpower Centres or Public Service Commission of Canada. Apply to: Regional Personnel Adviser, Dept. of Indian and Northern Affairs, Pacific Centre Ltd., P.O. Box 10061, 700 West Georgia Street, Vancouver, B.C., V7Y 1C1.

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO 62 (SOOKE)
Applications are invited for an elementary teaching position in the Sooke district, duties to commence Jan. 1, 1976. Besides regular classroom duties the applicant will be expected to teach French and-or music to various classes within the school. Please forward the application and supporting documents by Dec. 16, 1975 to: Mr. P. B. Pullinger, District Superintendant School District Number 62 (Sooke), 2227 Sooke Rd., Victoria, B.C., V9B 1W9.

26 PART TIME or TEMPORARY HELP

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WANTED — PERSON TO SIT for elderly lady, 1 or 2 evenings per week, View Royal area, 384-7205.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN Church, 680 Courtenay St. Accountant office recorder, 2 days weekly. Write c-o Mr. Andrews.

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WOOD—N—WORK
part-time 245-3126 Nanaimo

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30 SITUATIONS WANTED

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HAVING A PARTY?
Medox has homemakers available to help you with your catering will care for your children while you get things organized. Call 388-4642 anytime.

ELDERLY LADY WITH HEALTH problem, living in Duncan area, is desperately in need of a job, which enables her to earn a living. Write Victoria Press, Box 85.

URGENTLY WANTED: PART-time work, or will do typing at home, please what have you. I am 17 years old. Phone anytime. 385-4250.

MANAGER SEEKING POSITION. Data processing, production and inventory control, advertising, designing, construction experience. Bruce Enigenburg, 478-0909.

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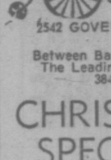

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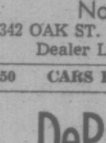

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SAT. 1:30-4 P.M.
p.m.
Brand new quality home in a choice location, close to schools, university and shopping. Three bedrooms, living room with fireplace, dining room, bright kitchen and bathroom on main. Master bedroom has large walk-in closet and two piece ensuite. Full basement with R.I. plumbing and large rec room. Good financing. WALLY MILLIGAN 384-8001 or Res. 598-2017

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1911 VENROSS
This fantastic new home in the Saanich Peninsula is one of the finest for $67,900. Large living room, slate fireplace, dining room with sliding doors to covered sundeck. Kitchen with eating area, double sink and country view, 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, huge basement with finished fireplace, R.I. bath and laundry area and lots of room for development, 2-car carport. Excellent financing available. PETER TER VEER, 384-8001 or Res. 479-1588.

OPEN HOUSE
1369 ROCKLAND
SAT., 1:30-4 P.M.
Victorian Mansion, MLS. See picture ad Friday night Times and Saturday Colonist. CONNIE REYNOLDS, 384-8001.

OPEN HOUSE
SAT. 1:30-3:30 P.M.
3065 BEACH DRIVE
Today's best buy — no step rancher — 4 bedrooms, 3 bathrooms, den, living room and dining room in-line. Full basement with rec room and fireplace. Double drive-in garage. Large level lot .52 of an acre. Open to offers on asking price of $113,000.00 Please call JESSIE McGRATH 384-8001.

2.40 ACRES
Small house — Big barn. Fenced — West Burnside area. Phone me for details. MLS. CONNIE REYNOLDS, 384-8001.

1.55 ACRES
Gracious Rancher of 1500 sq. ft. arable land — gently sloped, partly treed — secluded. Owner built home with 3 bedrooms, 2 lovely bathrooms, family room — huge sundeck — must be seen to be appreciated. A bargain at $89,900. MLS. CONNIE REYNOLDS, 384-8001.

4-SUITE APARTMENT
OAK BAY BORDER
Four two-bedroom, fully-self-contained suites in attractive apartment block close to all amenities. Each suite is electrically heated with bus on corner of street. Excellent financing available if required. Asking $98,000.
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UPLANDS
Architect-designed executive home minutes from beach and park. This is a truly fine home offering seclusion and convenience for the discriminating buyer. This home has spacious living room with fireplace circular dining room to kitchen. There are four bedrooms and four bathrooms with lovely cosy library with fireplace. Secluded patio, full basement with extra large recreation room and workshop. There is ample storage with walk-in closets. The property is professionally landscaped and fully fenced offering privacy and seclusion and priced well below replacement value. Asking price $139,000 with excellent terms available.
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Distinctive well-built home offering bright living room and dining room, spacious family kitchen with dining area, 4-pce. bathroom, three bedrooms with en suite in master. Top quality broadloom throughout, Full basement with finished rumpus room and fourth bedroom or guest room. This is an extremely well-kept home with many extras and situated on large landscaped lot. Asking price $65,000. For appointment to view call.
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PHONE NOW
For a thorough inspection of this High Quadra beauty. 3 bedrooms, 32' carpeted rumpus room, off white fireplace. Slide doors from dining room to private to sundeck. Den. Fine utility room. A natural hilly oak treed park adjoins this property. Priced right at $59,900. DAR GARSIDE 384-8001.

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1100 sq. ft., 3 bedrooms, new home. Beautiful sea view, close to schools and shopping. 9858 Second St. for drive-by. To view 656-2736. Blanchard Bros. Construction

SIDNEY, OWNER TRANSferred. Large three bedroom house, walk around fireplace, daylight basement, one year old, quiet cul-de-sac. Call Mr. Volberg at 656-4822 or 656-3844.

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5 New Homes Gordon Head

If you are looking for a 3 bdrm., full basemt. home in Gordon Head, phone me now. With prices from $63,900 and mtge. interest rates now down to 11¼% you can be settled by Christmas. WALT SLOCOMB 383-4035 (Res.) or 477-0141 (Off.)

Wanted

Your 4 bedrm. house with full basemt., several customers asking for larger homes to $60,000. Phone JOHN RUSSELL 477-0141 Days and 592-3248 Evenings. Fair market value for your home.

Elegance

Is not nearly enough to describe this large 4-bedrm. Colonial Home convenient to schools and shopping. Vendor wants action! Expensively decorated throughout. Spacious, eat in kitchen, separate D.R., family rm. on main floor, with beamed ceiling and old brick F.P., 3 bathrms., over 2,500 sq. ft. of developed area plus basement. Asking $89,900. Call TED PINFOLD, 388-7742 or 477-0141.

Oak Bay Border $48,900

Older well kept 2 or 3 bedrm. home. Comfortable L.R. with F.P., D.R. off galley kitchen with built-in wall oven range top and fridge. Full basement and drive-in garage. Close to Oak Bay Rec. Centre. MLS AUDREY GRIMSHAW, 592-2513 or 477-0141.

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If you are looking for revenue property, I have several nice ones. Let me show you how you can buy one of these properties and let the tenants pa ythe mortgage. Call GERRP MARTIN, 477-0141 or 477-9814.

Oak Bay Panoramic Views

3 years young, 4 bedrms., 2 ensuites with 4 pce. bathrm., master bedrm. approx. 25x20 with ensuite, F.P. and balcony plus breath-taking views. Lovely large bright kitchen, with eating area plus enclosed laundry. Gracious D.R., L.R. and full wall bookcases. Lrg. family rm. with F.P. and spacious den with F.P. and balcony. This unique 3600 sq. ft. home includes 4 Bathrms., 2 car garage, double paned windows. Asking price $195,000. TIM HOSKIN 595-6250 or 477-0141.

Oaklands

2 Bedrm, full basemt, now work needs to be done on this one. Interior and exterior are very well kept with W-W in L.R. and master bedrm., other features are F.P. in L.R., separate D.R., spacious kitchen, drive-in garage and fruit trees in yard. For a price of $49,900. You will receive good value for your investment. JOT HOME 592-2130 or 477-0141.

Simpsons-Sears

$52,900. New home. Close to Simpsons-Sears, nice compact floor plan, W-W throughout. Appliances included, L.R. and D.R. and 2 bedrms., small easy to care lot. Full high basemt, great for extra development. New MLS. Sign on property. AUDREY GRIMSHAW 592-2513 or 477-0141.

$43,500 Value

Two bedrooms, living room with fireplace, family kitchen—Gorge area, near transportation. Exclusive. GRAY LAITE 656-5267 or SID HASLAM 477-1994.

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Oak Bay—Small English cottage. Large living room. 1 bedroom, small den, compact kitchen with eating area. 4 pce. bath. Asking $43,900. To view call FRAN McVITTIE 598-3613 or 382-9191

4-Bedroom, Full Basement Homes On Large Lots

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3 bedroom, new 1475 sq. ft. home built by master carpenter. Sunken LR, brick fireplace, thermopane windows, full basement waiting for development. $72,900. SID HASLAM 477-1994 or GRAY LAITE 656-5267.

Two Beauties

Authentic Tudor, plus 5 valley view acres—$189,500. Uplands Beach Drive Rancher, 3 bedrooms, located on fabulous landscaped property. SID HASLAM 477-1994 or GRAY LAITE 656-5267.

Nicely Done

A very unique custom home on a rocky bluff. Brand new, 3 bedrooms extra large (27x16) living room, family room off kitchen, 2 full baths; 28 ft. sundeck and much, much more. $79,500, new MLS. GRAY LAITE 656-5267 or SID HASLAM 477-1994.

Duchess Street

Convenient, well maintained 2 bedroom, full basement bungalow on double wide lot. Home and grounds in immaculate condition with updated services. New MLS $58,500—to view please call HERB McDANNOLD 382-9191 or 658-8844.

Split-Level Beauty

On lovely treed acreage, 4 bedrooms, dream kitchen, family room, living room with raised hearth, good sized dining room. This is a quality home with shake roof and double garage — in Metchosin. Asking $89,900.—interesting financing. IRENE VAN 384-9191 or 382-9191.

1.5 Acres--Seaview

In N. Saanich on Curteis Pt., this beautiful secluded home has 4 or 5 bdrms., large living room, den, and a separate large deluxe workshop. Vendor must sell, asking $105,000. MLS. PAUL HYATT, 656-3150 or 382-9191.

$64,900

Attractive, 3 BR nearly-new home in quiet cul-de-sac on large, treed lot. 1,220 sq. ft. on main, 1½ baths — fireplace, full basement. ANNE HOPKINS 478-0486 or 382-9191.

Fairfield Home

Legal for 2 families, very spacious owner's suite, 3 bedrooms, fireplace in living rm., nice dinette, big kitchen, 4-piece bath with separate shower — has larger 2-bedroom suite in back with separate entrance and own furnace and meter. Interior has been updated. Copper plumbing, modern wiring. Outside needs paint. Asking $65,000. Try your low down payment. IRENE VAN, 384-9191 or 382-9191.

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DELIGHTFUL VIEW

If you have been looking for a special house with all modern conveniences plus a spectacular view, you should let me show you this delightful home. High on a hill, overlooking a golf course, the city, straits and Olympics. In-line living-dining, W glass doors to sundeck. 4-B.R., 3 full baths, large rumpus room, W. fireplace. Built-in appliances, vacuum system and intercom. Asking $103,000. MLS.
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Both up and down, close to sea and in the best part of Fairfield.
1. Offers 3 bdr. suite for owner, guest size dining room with sea view and 2 more rental units. 5% interest on existing mortgage. $82,000.
2. Spacious suites. Solid building on apartment zoned lot $73,000.
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UPLANDS BEST BUY $99,800.00

Not only is this terrific value, but the vendor will assist by carrying a mortgage! Located only a stone's throw from Willows Beach and Uplands Park, this long low rancher should catch your fancy. A very bright cheerful home with large windows designed to take advantage of the ocean views. The attractive floor plan offers a 21-ft. living room with feature fireplace, dining room with sliding glass doors to a huge covered and carpeted sundeck, modern kitchen with garburator and built-in dishwasher, three bedrooms, and downstairs there is an additional bedroom, bathroom and recreation room with fireplace.
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SANTA SEZ, WHY PAY MORE?

This modern two-bedroom full basement bungalow has a lot going for it! A huge family kitchen-dining area to accommodate the largest Xmas dinner party and lots of cupboards. A spacious living room with Raised Hearth fireplace, a partly finished room down plus tiled shower and toilet and on a nice lot with stores and bus at the door plus 13 mature fruit trees, and extra parking!
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3 BEDROOMS 2 BATHROOMS $36,500.

Move in for Christmas, very attractive 2 level condominium suite with own outside entrance just 10 minutes from downtown Victoria. Bus at door. Main floor has 19 ft. LR with in-line dining, kitchen with laundry and 2 pce. bath. Upstairs are 3 generous bedrooms and 4 pce. bath plus storage room. Price includes curtains, drapes and 4 beautiful appliances. Early possession. (ML)
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386-7521 383-2700

CHARMING OLDER HOME WALK TO TOWN

Just 5 minutes from downtown Victoria on heavily landscaped corner lot with fenced back garden and greenhouse in the lovely Rockland area. Entrance hall, big LR with mantel FP, cozy den, separate 14 ft. DR, kitchen with nook and separate BR area with two rooms approx. 12x12 and 4 pce. bath. Full basement with third BR, 3 pce. bath, laundry and knotty pine RR with FP. Approx. 1,700 sq. ft. HW heating. Built 1941. 10½ per cent mortgage. Early possession. $79,000. MLS.
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4 BEDROOMS 3 BATHROOMS 10 MILE POINT

Move in for Christmas. A rare opportunity to acquire a beautiful property in a very desirable area at a very reasonable price. Off the beaten track but very close to city bus route and just a few minutes from the beach, the university and good shopping. Distinctive Coleman Tudor on big lot with separate DR, big family room, LR with cozy inglenook. Rear two-car garage. Master BR 18x13 with two walk-in closets and 4 pce. bath. Immediate possession. $125,000. (ML)
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Modern stucco building of large 3 BR upper suite rents for $326. month Down has 2 BR and rents for $275. monthly. Be the owner before Xmas, try your offer—Good financing here. Call TED KAY at 386-7521 or 592-7361.

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This home of ample room for a family is brand spanking new. The home maker will appreciate the easy care and convenient design of the kitchen and formal dining room. The handyman will be pleased at how easily a family room, extra bedroom and bath can be added in basement. Everyone will agree that being a no through rd., minutes to shopping and golf course in a beautiful Colwood surrounding, would be a nice place to live.
478-5561 JOHN ADANK 479-8135

$5,000 DOWN

Could buy you this brand new 3 bedroom home. Excellent craftmanship is apparent throughout. Hand-built cupboards in large kitchen with eating area. Double entry bath. Full basement with R.1-3 piece plumbing and fireplace. For further information on this super home priced at $49,000 please call.
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XMAS SPECIAL

JUST LISTED. Good 2 Bdrm home featuring extra large rooms on main floor. Third Bdrm, rec room and 2nd bathroom in partly finished full basement. Fenced yard at end of cul de sac. Close to Happy Valley Elementary School. Needs interior paint. Make an offer on $48,900. Owner anxious.
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New, different and just a little darling. See and feel the quality. Such features as Thermopane glass wall, great big covered sundeck, large bdrm and that solidly built feeling. 3 bdrm excellence at only $72,000. This builder's homes always sell quickly. P.S. or an almost new home at $65,500.
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CEDAR HILL AREA

Neat compact 2 bdrm home on almost one half acre with fruit trees and room for big vegetable garden. Bus at your front door, walk to shopping and schools. 10% mortgage. Valuable lot. Offers on $58,000.
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OAK BAY BORDER CHARACTER HOME

2 storey home on 50 x 140 treed and fenced lot. Home has been refurbished. Newer roof, stucco and furnace. Close to stores and transportation. $54,900.
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3-BDRM. HOME $36,500

5 YR. OLD. Townhouse in de-luxe condition. New first class carpeting throughout. Quality stove with rotisserie and frost free Fridge inc. Spotless condition. Patio is secluded and ideal for barbeque.
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JUBILEE POTENTIAL

Large updated home suitable for boarding house or family home. Half block from Jubilee Hospital. 50 x 200 ft. lot with front and rear road facing. In area of multiple development. Why not invest for holding or revenue.
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Financing on this 4 bdrm, 11 yr old, family home with fully enclosed large back sundeck with southern exposure. Close to playground, schools transportation. FP $75,000.
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Here's a 2 bdrm home with a low ceiling bsmnt. Good for storage or workshop and drive in garage. Close to shopping centre and sports complex. Asking $45,000.
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1 BEDROOM CONDOMINIUM

There are many condominiums on the market. Many offer luxury at luxurious prices. But let's get to the basics, the little things that make you comfortable at an affordable price of $30,000.
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Assumable mortgage due 1979 with low payments make this 3 bdrm., part basement home a "must see" if you are looking for a family home on a quiet street. Tall trees in front, natural woodland at the back of a large .24 acre lot. Well cared for 2-yr.-old home with 2 fireplaces, separate dining room, large master bedroom with ensuite. Plenty of storage. See it today and try your offer on the asking price of $58,500. MLS 14453.
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BY OWNER
Near Duncan, view of the Islands from large sundeck. Seven years old, 3 bedrooms, large livingroom and dining area. 2 fireplaces, full basement, plumbed. Large carport — double garage. Large lot, sewer. CMHC mortgage 7¼%. Full Price $55,500. Phone 112-246-4238.

CUTE 1 BEDROOM COTTAGE good sea view, $37,500. 658-5833.

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SAT. 1:30 to 4 P.M.
1277 Persimmon Close
(off Blenkinsop,
1 block south of
Cedar Hill Cross Road)

Gardening just not your thing? Well, then here's the ideal easy-care lot, located on a very quiet cul-de-sac. Easy-care new home too in the Spanish style, with 3 bedrooms, 1½ bathrooms and high, dry basement ready for your finishing touches. Asking $75,500. View leisurely Saturday with:
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477-0191 384-6563

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635 HOCKLEY ST. (Langford)
SAT. 1:30 to 4:00
LARGE LOT — LOW TAXES
ONLY $41,900

Move right in to this cute, cozy 2-bedroom electrically heated starter or retirement home. ¾ basement plus workshop off carport. Lot 62x269, only 2 blocks from shopping. For more information, call:
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OPEN HOUSE
996 RIDGEWAY STREET
SAT. 1:30 to 4 P.M.

Don't miss this crisp new listing! Indeed a lovely home. 3 or 4 bedrooms. On a lovely large well landscaped treed lot. Make a point of viewing this dandy property. MLS 14774. Priced at $69,500. For prior viewing, Call:
ROMA or JOHN MOLYARD
477-0191 384-4827

OPEN HOUSE
SAT. 2 to 4 P.M.
1712 CHRISTMAS AVENUE
$54,900

Family growing? Need 3 possible 4 bedrooms in a spacious no-step bungalow. CHECK THIS ONE. "L" shaped living room and dining room with unique fireplace, large galley kitchen with built-in breakfast counter, new sundeck, separate garage and workshop. Washer, dryer, fridge and stove included in asking price. Close to schools and university, nice view of Mt. Tolmie. Excellent financing available. MLS. In attendance:
GALE CHRISTENSON
477-0191 477-0723

1310 BURLEIGH CRESCENT
5-BEDROOM—FAMILY HOME

There is good value here in this large, bright, solid home on double lot close to everything. 2 bedrooms on main, 2 up and 5th in basement. Huge rec. room and loads of storage. Double carport and extra parking. Asking $58,900. For more information call:
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Over 2,200 sq. ft. of family living space is offered in this interesting 4-level split bungalow. 4 bedrooms, 2 full baths, living room with fireplace, plus dining room, good-sized recreation room for your entertainment needs, plus so much more. Close to everything and well worth the asking price of $71,500. MLS 15889. To view please call:
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$41,900 — LANGFORD

Ideal starter or retirement home, walking distance to shopping centre. Cosy 2-bedroom, no-step bungalow, large living room with brick fireplace, good size kitchen and eating area. Large 20x25 heated workshop. Excellent financing available. Sorry no drive-bys. For more information call:
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Touch of class. 2-bedroom executive bungalow, luxurious living room and dining room panelled in satin walnut and separated with a distinctive brick fireplace have floor-to-ceiling glass overlooking a raised patio and park-like .69 acre lot. Basement has extra plumbing, bedroom and rec. room. A prestige home in a prestige area. Located at 3315 Cadboro Bay Rd., priced at $129,900. MLS 13733. For appointment to view:
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$54,900

Family growing! Need 3 possibly 4 bedrooms in a spacious no-step bungalow. CHECK THIS ONE. "L" shaped living room and dining room with unique fireplace, large galley kitchen with built-in breakfast counter, new sundeck, separate garage and workshop. Washer, dryer, fridge and stove included in asking price. Close to schools and university, nice view of Mt. Tolmie. Excellent financing available. MLS. For information phone:
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If you are thinking of selling your property, I know I can help you. I have a number of clients wishing 2 and 3-bedroom homes with or without basements in any good area. Please call RON SEDGER at Royal Trust, 477-0191 or res. 479-3673. P.S. I will gladly come out, assess your property, see what you want and assist you all the way.

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Older yes, but lots of living here. 3 or 4 bedrooms. Clear title at $46,900. Walking distance to Hillside plaza. Why not give me a call to view:
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1:30 TO 4 P.M.
4433 MAJESTIC DR.
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A sparkling new home in Gordon Head with an attractive view of Mount Doug. This home features a large living room and dining room, three bedrooms with double closet space, two bathrooms, family size kitchen with eating area and adjoining sundeck. The high bright basement is designed for further development. NHA financing at 10¾% available if required. Something special at only
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Large lot, choice location, near golf and yacht clubs. Four bedrooms, den, family room, living room, dining room, electric kitchen, basement. Ready for the right home seeker with the right offer of a little over $100,000.
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SAT. 1:30 to 4:30

Pleasant surprise. Nothing to do but move in. Very clean 3-bedroom, no-step home. Sunny bright kitchen with bay window. Fireplace in living room plus maple parquet floor. Near new furnace. Large family room at back. Lot 50'x150' with fruit trees. Better part of Haultain. Walk to shops, schools, Crystal Pool, etc. $45,500. MLS. Call: JOHN HOLMS at 598-3344.

OPEN HOUSE
412 OBED-GORGE
THURS., FRI., SAT. 2:00-4:00

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1718 HAULTAIN
SATURDAY 2:00-3:00

Uniquely renovated 4-bedroom Victoria character home. Priced right at $65,000 with a $43,000 at 11%. The large family dining room opens through leaded glass to cedar sundeck and fenced 60x145 lot. The features are all on the inside. BRIAN RIPLEY 598-3321.

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1461 MERRITT
(OFF COOK PAST FINALYSON)
FRI. AND SAT. 1:30-4:00

Just completed, new executive home. Approximately 2,000 sq. ft. of finished area. Electric forced air heat, separate 2-car garage, tudor style luxury finish. MLS. 14590. $89,500. View with RUTH or BEN BENNETT 592-6257 or 598-3321.

OPEN HOUSE
16 PADDON (OFF DALLAS)
SATURDAY 1:30-4:00

Sea views. Beautifully renovated 3-bedroom home. Completely separate 1-bedroom suite up. A must to see inside. MLS 13454. $98,900. View with RUTH or BEN BENNETT. 592-6257, 598-3321.

OPEN HOUSE
SATURDAY 2:00-4:00
1530 BURTON

YOICKS-GADZOOKS! 2,000 dollar price reduction to $47,500 on this 15-year-old, 2-bedroom bungalow in perfect condition close to Hillside Mall. Large mortgage available. House vacant. Enquiries invited. RUTH or BEN BENNETT 592-6257, 598-3321.

1252 RYAN
$45,600

Solid two-bedroom home. Full high basement, separate garage, secluded garden, minutes from Simpson Sears. To view please call RUTH or BEN BENNETT 592-6257, 598-3321.

JUBILEE HOSPITAL AREA

A family home with 4 bedrooms. Living room with fireplace, separate dining room and good size kitchen. Full basement with good furnace, copper plumbing and 100 amp. wiring. Has an excellent garden lot and close to all services. To view call HAROLD WHILEY 592-2798 or BILL MOHR 598-6716, Office 598-3321.

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Family home. Check this one. Main floor and redecorated. Comfortable living room with brick fireplace, dining room. Very modern kitchen with built-in dishwasher and really special breakfast nook. 2 bedrooms. Upstairs has 2 bedrooms and sewing corner. Full basement with good head room suitable for extra living space. Sundeck. Separate garage. Large lot with trees. $59,900. Offers accepted. Call: JOHN HOLMS at 598-3344.

WOODY
COLWOOD

Just for you. Hugo Hucker did a good job on this one. 3-bedroom home. Hardwood floors and wall to wall carpet. Leaded windows. Raised hearth fireplace. Extra large dining room. Sunny bright kitchen. Basement area has den, work and play area. Fenced lot with small terrace at back. $54,800. Call: JOHN HOLMS at 598-3344.

READY TO GIVE UP?

Have you looked and looked for a nice little home and just not found anything? Then let me show you through this neat little home on a nice lot in a nice area for $50,000. MLS No. 14414. Please call: EDNA MACKENZIE at 598-3344.

VICTORIA 4 BEDROOMS

Priced right at $65,000, this unusual home was built in 1912, with a super secluded 60x145 lot, this home is a must to see . . . BRIAN RIPLEY 598-3321 MLS.

FOUL BAY BUNGALOW

This very well maintained Fairfield home has living, dining, breakfast, kitchen, bath, and 2 bedrooms on the main. There are also 2 finished rooms, laundry and drive in garage in the high basement. $55,900 BRIAN RIPLEY 598-3321.

SIMPSON SEARS AREA

Excellent retirement or starter home close to shopping centre on quiet street. Large lot attractively landscaped with fruit trees and shrubs. Two spacious bedrooms, inviting living room with fireplace, family size kitchen with modern appliances included. A fine economical home. To view call BILL RICHARDS at 598-3321 or 595-6219.

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SAANICHTON
2 New 3 bedroom homes with view, ensuite, full basement, $58,900 and $59,900.
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Are you looking for a home on a good high sewered lot. This is it. Home is only 15 years old, Ranch-type style consists of 3 bedrooms, living room, dining room kitchen and utility room wired for washer and dryer. Wall to wall shag carpet in living room and dining room, cozy fireplace. Carport. This home was on the market for $53,500 and just been reduced for quick sale of only $51,900. Drive by but do not disturb the owner.
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$39,500

This two bedroom, no basement home has been completely modernized and could not possibly be replaced at this price today! Large LR, DR, 2 bedrooms and modern bathroom all wall-to-wall and large kitchen with back sundeck.
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385-7721 592-3978

2 BEDROOMS plus BASEMENT

Fresh on the market in a popular area this immaculate stucco bungalow has living room with fireplace, spacious modern kitchen, 2 bedrooms and bathroom on main. Full basement has third bedroom, plus a sewing room and separate workshop space. Well cared for 50x120 lot with sundeck off kitchen and cement patio in yard. Good value at $48,900.
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MUST BE SOLD!

This 3-bedroom (all on the main floor) stucco bungalow is situated on a large view lot on a quiet dead-end crescent. There are now shag carpets over oak floor in living room and dining room, deep fireplace for log burning. For added convenience the utility room is next to the modern kitchen. This has to be the best buy in town! Only $51,900.
For viewing call Bill Weiss or Harold Ware:
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SAMUEL McCLURE

Would have been proud of this home (even if he didn't build it)! A finely constructed family home with four massive bedrooms upstairs plus separate 1- and 2-pce. bathrooms. Open staircase leading to a large hallway with beamed ceilings and new wall-to-wall over oak floors. Main floor features L.R., D.R., with fireplace, beamed ceilings, built-in china cabinet and adjoining sun room, beamed ceiling den has another F.P. and built-in book case; modern kitchen is large with unique 1-pce. vanity. Undeveloped basement completes this newly painted character home with its many chandeliers and stained glass windows. See it today . . . at $65,900. It won't be here tomorrow!
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UNIVERSITY

Family home with hardwood floors throughout. L.R. with F.P., separate D.R. Modern kitchen, 4-pce. bath and 3 large bedrooms. Downstairs features another bedroom 2-pce. bath, another possible bed room and drive-in garage. Priced below replacement at $62,500 and very handy to schools, buses and UVic!!
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HIGH QUADRA

This beautiful 3-BDRM home on quiet street features LR with slate FP, in-line DR, modern kitchen and attractive 4-pce bath. Basement has rec. room, drive-in garage, and lots of space in workshop area. The setting for this home is parklike with large 161 ft. deep lot, and backs onto Playfair Park. Back concrete patio provides ideal picnic and barbecue area. See this exclusive now at only $56,500.
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—THE number of windows tells you how bright it is inside.

—THE number of bedrooms (3) tells you it was built for a family.

—THE feeling as you walk in tells you of the love that's been given to this home.

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Colonial Family home. A rare find and an excellent value. Four bedrooms, two bathrooms and two large rock fireplaces. Carpeted living and dining room. Kitchen with eating area. Rumpus room and den. Double car garage with electric doors, secluded patio. All this on an extra large professionally landscaped lot. A must to view. Immediate possession. MLS 14868. Call
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425 QUEEN ANNE HEIGHTS (GONZALES HILL)

5-bedroom Tudor situated on one-third acre with views of Mt. Baker and San Juan Islands, this one-year-old Tudor-design home of 3,500 sq. ft. features den, family room, recreation room, large separate dining room, 3 bathrooms, w.w. wool carpets, intercom and many extras. $149,000. MLS 14698. For appointment to view call:
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388-6424

FANNY BAY

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Here is truly a grand home. Impressive from every side, inside and out! This is a very obviously large home, yet with simple, clean lines. There are over 1700 sq. ft. on one floor with many appealing features like an elegant and spacious sunken living rm.; a main floor family rm.; beautiful full height fireplaces; built-in sundeck; balcony and verandah with FIVE sets of sliding glass doors in all. Built-in equipment includes an AM-FM intercom, dishwasher, garburator and a handy kitchen desk. Of course, there are 3 bedrms., 2 full bathrms., loads of closet space, a double carport and huge full high bsmt. with roughed in plumbing, rec. rm. and fireplace. All this and BEAUTNFUL VIEWS of the Olympics and Mt. Douglas too! Now ready for occupancy. $98,900. MLS.
STEVE MOONEY
385-7761 24 hrs.

JUST COMPLETED High Gordon Head

A fine, distinctive home now ready for occupancy, custom designed to take maximum advantage of the BEAUTIFUL VIEWS of the Olympics and Mt. Doug. There is sundeck access and beautiful outlooks from dining rm., sunken living rm., kitchen and breakfast nook and master bedrm. Among many appealing features are the impressive 2-storey entry in beautiful imported quarry tile, a massive full height rock fireplace and the interesting centre hall treatment giving access to 3 spacious bedrms. Of course, there are 2 full bathrms with a 3rd roughed-in in a huge full high bsmt. PLUS a very large R.I. rec. rm. with fireplace. There 's a double carport with long, broad covered walkways and built-in equipment includes an AM-FM intercom, dishwasher and garburator. You'll also find lots of closet and linen space and even a built-in kitchen desk! AND, a big PLUS: Complete, professional landscaping to be done as weather permits. This home is very definitely an EXCELLENT VALUE at $89,500.
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385-7761 24 hrs.

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Quality and appeal hit you in the eye in this well constructed building. 3 bedrms one side and 2 on the other. Each has 3 baths, balconies and sundecks; full bsmts with potential in-law suites (one finished). Kitchens have custom-built cabinets, some appliances included. W-W carpet throughout. Located in an excellent rental district; you would be proud to be the owner. Listed at $120,000. MLS. Call me anytime.
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608 CORNWALL ST.
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See this newly decorated home in a much desired area, close to town, schools and shopping. 2 bedrooms up and one down, with bath and a half. Features LR with fireplace, large modern kitchen, full basement, all new plumbing fixtures and wiring. Also 15-ft. diam. pool, pump and filter. Priced for quick sale at $45,900.00. MLS 14935.
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$38,000

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Two-car carport, fenced and landscaped level lot, treed environment, no through traffic, safe for children, selling for less than replacement cost.
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OPEN HOUSE SAT. 2-4 1429 TAUNTON $39,000

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Situated in Cordova Bay's most exclusive area, this superb 3 bedroom cedar and glass exterior home is the ultimate in functional design, luxury and country atmosphere. Master bedroom has private sundeck and 4-pce. bath ensuite, kitchen has large family area adjoining. Living and dining rooms have French doors leading to large sundeck affording beautiful views of the sea and Fall Arbutus. Lower level has cozy activity room with second fireplace. Priced to sell quickly. For details and appoints to view this new exclusive, Call LILIAN McLEOD 385-5741 or 592-4968.

REVENUE SPECIALS

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3-BEDROOM FAMILY HOME IN ESQUIMALT $57,900

On a quiet street with a pretty yard, this white stucco bungalow offers modern kitchen, in-line dining room, full basement with rec. room, oil heat and excellent maintenance. To view call AL TASSIE 384-9069 or Office 385-5741 anytime. ML 14704

FAIRFIELD $59,500

Fine 3-bedroom home within walking distance of shopping plaza, schools, seashore or town. Spacious living room with fireplace. Dining room plus nice eating area in kitchen. To view, call MELODY VILLENEUVE 385-5741 or 384-8563.

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Immaculate family home for the young executive. 1,242 sq. ft. main floor, plaster finish interior. Large living room, floor to ceiling fireplace, L-shaped dining room, glass doors to sunny sundeck. Built-in dishwasher, oven and range in kitchen. 3 bedrooms; 4-pce vanity bathroom. Professionally developed basement with family room, rec. room with bar, 3-pce. bath, utility and workshop. Lovely landscaped lot with metal swimming pool. On a quiet cul de sac. $79,900. MLS 14883.
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REG SCHUMAKER 598-2333
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Sparkling new 1200 sq. ft., 3 bedroom home. Wall to wall throughout, cathedral entrance to attractive living room with RH fireplace. Dining room, sundeck off family-size kitchen with breakfast area. 4-pce. bath plus 2-pce. ensuite. Full high basement—ideal for development. Plumbed for third bathroom. 70' x 158' lot, high location. Partial Bay views. Today's best buy at $59,900. Call
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7325 CHATWELL DRIVE

Custom built and designed home on large treed lot in exclusive area. Two step entrance to through hall plan. 20' x 14' living room. Feature wall and fireplace. 10' x 10' dining room. Glass doors to sundeck. Family kitchen 20' x 10.9' with breakfast area. 2 large bedrooms plus one down. Double vanity bath. Oak floors throughout. Full high basement ready for development. Double garage. ML 14925. $68,500. For appointment to view call:
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NEW LISTING

In the Tillicum - Carey Rd. Area. Spacious 2 - bedroom bungalow. Knotty pine cupboards in the family-size kitchen, large living room and dining room in line. Full basement with a partially finished 13'x26' rec. room with fireplace, plus more space to add extra bedrooms. Stucco exterior and carport. Asking $49,000.
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GORDON HEAD SEAVIEW BY OWNER 4-BDRM. HOME

Custom built home finished in rough cedar siding and old brick, attractively located in a professionally landscaped garden with large mature trees.
- Four bedrooms.
- Seaview living room with fireplace.
- Separate dining room with access to balcony and sundeck.
- Large kitchen with eating area and access to sundeck.
- Very large recreation room with beamed ceiling, old brick fireplace and sliding door to garden.
- Two full baths plus en-suite in master bedroom.
- Utility room.
- Wall to wall carpet throughout.
- Carport with additional parking pad.

4532 SEAWOOD TERRACE
$95,000
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$64,900

New view home almost completed by Esquimalt Lagoon. Over 1900 square feet of living area with three bedrooms, three bathrooms and handmade floor to ceiling rock fireplace. Panoramic plew of harbour and city give this cedar home a unique charm. Terms available. Call LYNN HOLMES 477-5615 or B.A. Realty Ltd. 385-1431.

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WATER VIEWS—IN-LAW SUITE

The double doors, planked and studded, give entry to an interior of comfort, character and charm. A white carpeted living room, with antique brick fireplace — separate dining room, 3 bedrooms, recreation room (also with a beautiful fireplace), 2 complete bathrooms and 2 very modern kitchens with built-in appliances. Tastefully decorated inside and out with a most attractive garden-level in-law suite. Professionally landscaped with water views in this pleasant area. Offered at $81,900. (MLS 14874) with possession before Christmas if desired.
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1:30 - 4:30 P.M.

If quality comfort and charm interest you, come and view this Uplands tudor at 3210 BEACH DRIVE. Designed for gracious entertaining and family living. The present owner has extensively renovated the interior with decor by Decor Artisans of Montreal. Four large bedrooms and 2 full bathrooms are up, a ½ bath, den with F.P., separate dining room, large kitchen and separate breakfast room, along with the beautiful living room and fireplace are on the main floor. Double garage has a large finished room and ½ bath up. The .561 acre lot is completely fenced at the rear for complete privacy. MLS 12702.
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POLLY HIGGINS, 592-4111
Office, 386-2911

OPEN HOUSE
COLWOOD—SATURDAY
1:00-4:00 P.M.

Come to 3053 JENNER ROAD to view this delightful home. Some of its many features are:
- Modern kitchen with Padded built-in breakfast nook.
- L shaped living room-dining room with quality W-W carpeting (F.P. of course)
- Thru hall to 3 roomy bdrms.
- Finished basement with 2 more bdrms. rec room, den, ½ bath and laundry room.
- Well landscaped grounds, backyard fenced to give privacy to your swimming pool and brick barbecue which is included in the purchase price of $64,900. MLS 14820.

Your host: DON HAMILTON
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LOW TAXES

Everything you dreamed of and more! Immaculate 3 bedroom family home. Large eating area in kitchen, overlooking lovely garden with numerous trees. Fourth bedroom and family room in full high basement. Large 75 x 131 lot with low taxes. Asking $55,900. MLS 13096.
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TRY $1,400.00

For your down payment on this 2-bedroom condominium. Step saving kitchen with stove and fridge included. Dining room plus living room with sliding glass doors onto balcony. MLS 13814. Open to offers at asking price of $27,500.
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BIG LOT
6 ROOMS
CLOSE IN

Clean, well built, 6 room stucco bungalow with basement and 2 garages on a 82x134 ft. lot on a quiet street in Lakehill area. Fruit trees. Asking $49,000. Make an offer. Ken Walters 385-2481 (24 hrs.)

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$44,500

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OPEN HOUSE THURS. and SAT. 12—6
EXCEPTIONAL BUY 1611 WARREN GARDENS
Opportunities like this don't come too often! Don't miss out on seeing this charming 1250 sq. ft. quality built stucco home, majestically set on a huge lot leaving ample space for the family to enjoy the beautifully laid out, fully fenced back garden. A truly inviting home from front entrance, wide hall, large living room and dining room with picture windows where the views are sheer delight. Door from dining room to sundeck over attached garage. Family sized kitchen with loads of cupboards, 3 cozy bedrooms, spacious bathroom. Wide stairs leading to full high basement with Rec. room and extra bedroom and 2 pce bath, large laundry room. All this and more for $69,950. For prior viewing call LORETTA HOGARTH 592-3537 or 592-2407 anytime.

OPEN HOUSE SAT. 1-5 923 KINGS ROAD
(Between Blanshard and Quadra)
$47,900
LARGE 3 bedroom, 2 storey, charming well kept up home with stained glass windows. New wiring, new furnace. Large sunporch. Located across from school on a very quiet street. For prior viewing call HUGH YEREX, 479-8169 or 592-2407 anytime.

BY BUILDER MOVE IN BEFORE CHRISTMAS
3-bedroom Cathedral entree home in contemporary styling, located at the end of a new cul-de-sac in new subdivision in Saanichton. Living room and dining room with sloping beamed ceiling. Double carport. Priced in the mid 60's. For further information call 652-3884.

SALE BY OWNER, QUALITY family home, south Oak Bay. Ideal location, close to all facilities and marina. New kitchen with built-in stove, bathroom plumbing and electric service. Fully developed basement with drive-in garage. Spacious rooms on all three levels. Principles only. Clear title. Appointment phone 598-1310. Price $69,900.

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1820 OAK BAY AVE. 598-5144

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3147 Douglas St. 386-2955
Woodward's Mayfair Centre

OPEN HOUSE SAT. 1:30-4:30 1306 JOHNSON
(High Johnson)
Big price reduction on this immaculate close-in City home. 12½ years old — custom built with extra gracious living and dining rooms — wider than average through hall and entrance foyer. The kitchen 's just the perfect size and a delight to the lady, with a laundry room adjacent. Two twin-size bedrooms with large closets — drive-in garage and fenced lot, shrubs and lawns. DOWN IN PRICE FROM $57,900 TO $55,000. Easy financing. To pre-view call J. J. WILLIAMS 386-2955 or res. 479-1163.

OPEN HOUSE SAT. 1:30-4 4008 and 4012 GORDON HEAD ROAD
Brand new, an ideal location. Close to schools, Racquet Club, etc. Custom supervised construction and design. Lovely 3 bedroom homes with many deluxe plus features. Quality carpets. Ensuite plumbing. Large lower areas leave lots of room for expansion. For a home with that extra touch and appeal see these now! Priced at $63,900 and $69,900.00. LEIGHTON NOBLE, 386-2955 or res. 658-8968.

OPEN HOUSE SAT. 1:30-4:30 9646 6TH ST. SIDNEY
This four bedroom character home with its lovely living room, dining room and den offers old world charm with leaded windows, beamed ceilings, stone fireplace, mature landscaping and double lot, located on quiet street close to sea and shopping. Asking $64,900. DAVE MARSHALL, 386-2955 or res. 656-2056.

OPEN HOUSE SAT. 1:30-4 924 RANKIN
(OFF CRAIGFLOWER)
New 3 bedroom, uniquely different Cape Cod twin dormer home with 1800 sq. ft. finished area. Family room, two bathrooms, double carport. A lovely treed setting among new homes. Asking $69,900. Trades considered. JACK COOKE, 386-2955, 478-4842.

OPEN HOUSE SAT. 1:30-4:30 1458 RYAN ST.
Large character home on hard-to-find quiet, yet central, lot. Home features 2 or 3 bedrooms, extra large workable kitchen with oodles of cupboards; large panelled living room with granite fireplace. MLS 14650. PETER SYKES 386-2955 or 382-3216.

NORTH SAANICH
Two-bedroom, full-basement home. Large living room with brick fireplace, separate garage. House is 3 years old and in nice residential area. Full price only $49,900. To view please call DAVE MARSHALL 386-2955 or res. 656-2056.

Island Homes Ltd.
2504 DOUGLAS 386-7545

OPEN HOUSE
SAT. 1:30-4:30
MARIN PARK DRIVE BRENTWOOD
West Saanich Rd. to Marchant to Carmel to Marin Park Drive
8 NEW HOMES
All with 3 bedrooms and ensuite plumbing and 3rd bath roughed in in the basement. The main floors range from 1200 to 1383 sq. ft. All homes have sundecks and carports and are different in design and appearance. All homes are quality built by Hugo Hucker Construction. They are priced from $57,300 to $59,800. This is a choice quiet area with all underground services. Be sure to come and see them. Choice of carpets still available. Exclusively listed by RON CROW/ 592-4989.

OAK BAY
This three bedroom has kitchen with cosy eating nook overlooking garden, spacious living room with grand piano alcove, just lovely inside, ½ block from Oak Bay Shopping Centre. To view phone ROY ELDRIDGE 477-6735 or 386-3231. Price $71,900.

LANSDOWNE SLOPE
Immaculate bungalow with a fabulous view, close to Uplands Golf course with very good plan.

BEACH DRIVE
In the choicest of areas in Uplands. A real nice retirement Gem at only $99,800 with quick possession.

SIMPSONS-SEARS
Delightful 2 BDR. home with basement. Dandy starter or retirement home in a good area with an excellent yard. Asking only $54,900.

SIDNEY
Just listed a clean 3 bdr. home close to school in a quiet area. L-shaped living and dining room, fireplace, wall to wall rugs, sliding glass door to sundeck, spacious kitchen with eating area. High basement roughed in for extra bathroom. Carport. This home is in immaculate condition and is priced for quick sale at only $52,500 with a large 1st mortgage. MLS. Call RON CROW 592-4989 or 386-7545 ANYTIME.

NEW 3-BEDROOM IMMED. POSSESS. ASKING $57,900
Beautiful new 1350 sq. ft. home in good location in Langford. Spacious living room with rock fireplace. Expensive wall to wall throughout. Ensuite off master bedroom. Extra fireplace in rumpus room. extra suite could be built in basement. Low down payment if needed. HOWARD MITCHELL 479-4818.

NEW HOMES Gordon Head $58,500
FULL BASEMENTS ENSUITE!
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BY OWNER, GORDON HEAD, ON lot 105x135, well maintained family home, fully wall-to-wall broadloom, 4 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, completely finished lower area with rumpus room. Bright family kitchen, dishwasher, eating area, large sundeck off dining room, double garage, lot landscaped and fenced. Phone 477-3910 for appointment to view. $67,900.

BY OWNER
1 bedroom house for sale, excellent retirement or starter home, lovely treed lot, 35 Logan Ave, Victoria. Phone 384-7236 after 5 p.m.

WILLS and WONNENBERG REALTY LTD.
1318 Esquimalt Rd. 384-0581

OPEN HOUSE WED.-SAT. 2-5 886 ADMIRALS ROAD
Reduced $2,500 for quick sale. Move in for Christmas—(house vacant). 2 BR on main and 2 BR up. F.H.C. basement has Rec Rm with ½ bath. Sale price only $55,000. MLS 14340. Call BETTY McFARLAND or PHYLLIS COUTTS, 384-0581.

QUICK SALE
NEW MLS NO. 14931
Attractive bungalow on quiet street. Lge. beautifully treed lot. Home has 2 BRs (could be third in basement). Cheerful kitchen—fireplace in LR — All this for only $44,900. Call PHYLLIS COUTTS or BETTY McFARLAND, 384-0581.

$44,900
2 bedrooms, large bathroom, kitchen with nook, living room with fireplace. FANTASTIC VIEW from a high rock area on Quadra. See inside, needs work and loving care. To view call PHYLLIS COUTTS or BETTY McFARLAND.

TRY $2,500 DOWN
IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY
789 sq. ft. one bedroom condominium with balcony in vicinity of UVic. Overlooking nice landscaped area. At rear is shopping centre and bus line. Amenities include sauna, pool wirl bath, "rec" room and hobby shop. 85% mortgaging available to qualified purchaser. If you qualify for B.C. second mtge. you can get in for about $2500-$3000 down. Monthly payment will be approx. $375 including P.I.T. and management. Hurry on this call BETTY McFARLAND or PHYLLIS COUTTS, 384-0581 (24 hrs)

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Park Pacific
For appointment to view the following fine listings call:
ROBERT YOUNG
479-2115 or 477-8749
GEORGE BLACK
479-8886 or 383-4124

1—PRIME GORDON HEAD. ASKING $64,900. This beautiful older 3-bedroom, no-basement home is located on a lovely large (109x125) landscaped treed lot on prestige GRANDVIEW DRIVE. In mint condition. Excellent floor plan. Large raised hearth brick fireplace. Separate garage. MLS.

2—OAK BAY — BEACH DRIVE, THREE-BEDROOM, FULL BASEMENT, HOME WITH CHARACTER. ASKING $89,900. Here is an immaculate, well-constructed older home that has QUALITY, VALUE AND CHARM. This prestige Beach Drive beauty has over 1500 sq. ft. of luxury living space on the main floor. Superior living room with friendly brick fireplace with built-ins, separate formal dining room. ALSO WITH FIREPLACE. Inlaid No. 1 oak floors. Two large bedrooms and one small. Bright kitchen, four-piece bathroom. In the full cement basement we have family room, extra bedroom and two-piece bathroom. Lovely landscaped treed lot, lane at back and side. MLS.

SUBURBAN Real Estate Ltd.
2680 Sooke Rd. 478-8316

SANTA "CLAUS"
Yes Santa can take advantage of a new "Clause" in this listing. Vendor has authorized $1,000 price reduction on this 1 yr. old 1100 sq. ft. home in Langford. Features 3 bdrms (Mast en-suite) ½ base. with laundry facilities and R.I. Rec. room. Rich 40 oz. carpeting in L.R. (with unique R.H. Heatilator F.P.) and D.R. Large bright kitchen. New price of $52,500 includes all drapes, fridge and stove. "Mommy would kiss you underneath the Mistletoe" if she received this home for Xmas. MLS No. 14476. For further info call AL PETERS 478-5992 TOM DUNCAN 477-2462

OAK BAY
$68,500
Subsidize your living expense with this beautiful home in an area of Oak Bay which is close to new recreation compound, school church and shopping. The main floor of this fully modern home is rented for $325 per month, with a newly finished self-contained, two bedroom, living room, kitchen and 3 pce bath down, all ready for the owner occupied, or rental, equal to the main floor. All this on easy-care lot with lane at rear for off street parking of camper. This new multiple listing won't last long. See it now with TOM DUNCAN 477-2462 AL PETERS 478-5992.

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Float homes, houseboats, completely self-contained from $16,800. Bank financing, OAC. Open 7 days. Hurry as only limited moorage left. Mace Marine, 383-3324. 453 Head St., at West Bay Marina.

VACANT $53,900
2 bedroom dream home in north Quadra on bus, near schools. Large dining room, master bedroom, full basement, double carport, sundeck. Huge lot — owner will carry some financing for quick sale, quick possession.
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Allan Trelford 652-3717

SOMETHING SPECIAL IN CEN. SAANICH
Brand new custom built home located on quiet cul-de-sac amongst other prestige home.s LR has bay windows with some views. Sliding doors from DR to 2 level deck. Family kitchen, generous cabinet space. Full basement, with 3 piecebath and roughed in rec room with fieplace and 2 bedrooms. 2 car enclosed garage. Radiant heat and Thermo-pane windows. Buy now and choose your own wall colours and carpeting. Call:
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GORDON HEAD
Owner will finish family room and bathroom for you in this full basement home. Upstairs has 2 large bedrooms, 1½ baths, desk or piano area and large LR-DR and family kitchen — 1263 sq. ft. in all. What a Christmas investment! Call:
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SANTA CLAUS
Has no steps to stumble over in this ranch style home of 3 bedrooms and 1½ baths. He can place the presents around the Acorn fireplace and sit on the slate hearth. The parcels will not be sooty as they will easily fit through the sliding glass doors from the patio. Double sleigh parking. All situated on private treed lot in Merry Sidney. Call:
386-3128 Joe Blodgett 656-5653

QUIET GORGE
Very sound 3 bedroom full-basement home, hardwood floors, 2 fireplaces, kitchen has built-in wall oven, counter top range. 4 piece bath, (RI bath in basement). W-D hookup. Laundry tubs. Price $58,900. MLS 14732. For further information or to view please call:
386-3128 Ernie Seronik 478-8696

JUST A SHORT WALK
to the beach. ENJOY THE EXCITING OCEAN VIEWS in comfort, from your living room, kitchen, wrap-around sundeck. Price $114,000. MLS 14278. If you are interested in further details please call:
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ASK ALICE OR ED
PARADE OF HOMES

1—Colwood. Must be sold. 2 BR. living and dining room. Basement. Large lot. Could be 4 BRs. Perfect for the handyman. MLS No. 14177. Price. $44,500.

2—Close to town. Immaculate 2 BR. Separate dining room. Extra room downstairs plus 2-pce. bathroom. Vendors have purchased. MLS No. 14932. Price $49,500.

3—Brand new, Saanichton. Move in for Christmas. Over 1300 sq. ft. of quality. Lovely cul-de-sac of all deluxe homes. Full basement ready to develop with extra fireplace and 3rd bathroom. MLS No. 14108. Make an offer on $64,900.

4—Brentwood Located on over ¼ of an acre. Built for the builder himself. We can show you a different quality home. 1400 sq. ft. Lots of wood panelling. 3 BRs. Massive recreation room. Beautiful setting among the trees. A must see on today's market. MLS No. 13805. Price $74,900.

5—Acreage, 5.61, located on Stellys Cross Road for your dream farm. MLS No. 14443. Asking $52,500.

Call Alice Moore 592-4529
Ed Kraft 652-3696

EXCEPTIONAL VALUE GORDON HEAD $67,500
Immaculate 1840 sq. ft. split level 3 bedrooms, plus den, living room plus family room, 1-4 piece bath, 2-2 piece baths. Separate laundry room, covered patio. Close to all levels of schools, bus and shopping. MLS 14257. Call:
386-3128 Audrey Crothers 385-4645

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385-9741 Anytime

OPEN HOUSE
4403, 4407, 4409 TYNDALL
2-4 SATURDAY
3 super new homes quality construction, well designed, large private sundecks. $72,500.
BILL McCARTER 592-3970

CLOSE IN
Immaculate 3 bedroom home in convenient quiet area of the city. Built by owner 7 years ago. Hardwood floors living room is 17 x 12.5 with fireplace. Separate dining room, modern kitchen with sundeck off. Fourth bedroom and 2 pce. bath in full cement basement. Large detached double garage. Lot is 50x135 with fenced backyard. MLS $59,900.
BILL McCARTER 592-3970
BOB GIBSON 658-5153

DIRTIEST HOUSE IN TOWN!
Needed ... ambitious purchasers not afraid of work to restore sadly neglected bungalow to the cozy home it once was. 3 bedrooms, hardwood floor in LR. Glass doors from dining area to sunny patio area. Extra large lot with many shrubs. Easy access to loads of parking. Asking $43,500. Phone now for appt. to view with:
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OPEN HOUSE SAT. 1:30-4:00 412 LAMPSON ST.
Two bedrms, 1¼ baths, separate dining room with fireplace, living room with fireplace. Storage shed. Good value at $44,900.
86-6796 DAVE TAYLOR 384-2718

OPEN HOUSE SAT. 2:00-4:30 1782 and 1784 SENWOOD
4 bedrooms, 1½ baths, fireplace and 2 bedrooms, 1½ baths. Both quality constructed. COME CHECK AND COMPARE!
386-6796 KEN WRIGHT 598-2183

SEE OUR NEW HOMES AND COMPARE
for example, 3 bedroom, 1½ baths, R.I. plumbing in full high basement, fireplace, sundeck-carport, close to K-Mart and all conveniences. ONLY $63,900.
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RENT AND OWN
Exceptionally well-cared-for duplex featuring 3 bedrooms, living and dining room, family room, fireplace. Self-contained 1-bedroom suite down. Tastefully landscaped. private yard. Double carport-sundeck. Close to all amenities. Valued at $65,900. MLS.
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QUALITY MINDED?
IF YOU ARE A DISCERNING home buyer whose requirements are location, charm and quality construction, we have the home for you. Located in the Rockland area this new home has 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, family, sewing, mud and utility rooms. Asking price $77,500. MLS.
386-6796 RICK KINNIS 477-9394

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OPEN HOUSE SAT. 1:30-4:00 4011 ZINNIA OFF TULIP $65,900
Large 5-bedroom family home only 9 years old. Could be an easy duplex conversion with roughed-in plumbing and fireplace down. Upstairs has 2 bedrooms, large family kitchen and living room with a raised hearth fireplace. Extra large carport and extra parking. Situated on a 66x231 landscaped lot in the High Marigold area. MLS 14505. Call Tom Raig 386-6164 or 385-1606.

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LOW LOW DOWN PAYMENT
5 YR OLD SIDNEY
SxS DUPLEX
With $7,000 down, vendor will carry $73,000 A-S at 12% for a good covenant. Each side 3 Bedrooms, LR, DR, 1½ baths, large sundeck. Ideal opportunity for in-laws. Buy it yourself or together.

STADACONA PARK
Up and down duplex, 2 BR suite on main plus 1 BR suite up. Full basement. Vendor will carry agreement for sale. Asking $53,900.

HAULTAIN
Triplex. Three 1 bedroom suites plus full basement. Vendor will carry agreement for sale. Asking $58,500.

VICTORIA WEST
Up and Down duplex. 1 bedroom suite up, 2 bedroom suite on main plus in-law suite in full high basement. Possible triplex conversion. Asking $47,900.

For more information on any of these fine investments call CHRIS GREIG or TOM RAIG at 386-6164 or 479-7995 or 385-1606.

GORDON HEAD
Now ready for occupancy, Tudor style, over 1200 sq. ft. house, over 8,000 sq. ft. lot. $45,750 first mortgage available at 11 per cent. Asking $65,900.

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1000' STREAM FRONTAGE
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ROYAL OAK
5 fertile acres with everything for the hobby-farm family close to the city. An exceptionally well built 3-year-old 2-storey home with over 2200 sq. ft. of luxury living space, riding ring, new 2-stall barn, pasture, lots of space for growing things, delightful valley view to Olympics beyond, $144,500.
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2. Need 4 ac. for horses . . ? Want to start a nursery? Do some hobby farming? Live in a large 4-bedroom, 2-bathroom, luxury, 2-storey, Cape Cod design home in North Saanich? ML 14668 has got it! Asking $149,500.

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BRENTWOOD BAY OPEN HOUSE SAT. 1 P.M.-4 P.M. 1185 SLUGGETT RD
1½-year-old owner-built deluxe 4-bedroom home on a landscaped level lot close to school and shops. This home includes a large entrance hall, sunken living room, RH rock faced floor-to-ceiling fireplace, formal sep. dining room, cabinet electric kitchen with built-in dishwasher, large family room with sliding doors to patio. Spiral stairway leading to the spacious 4 bedrooms (master ensuite) plus a 4-pce. van. bath. Bonus feature includes a 2-car attached garage with a good workshop area. Priced only $76,900.
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—Expensive W-W carpeting!
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—Fruit trees!
—Much, much more!!
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Jack Davis
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Superb 4-bedroom home in the very desirable Ardmore area. Large living and dining rooms, 3 bathrooms. Stone fireplace, storage or play area on 3rd level. Double garage with self contained in-law suite above. All this on just over ¾ acre. MLS 14490. $107,500.
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Res. 656-2023 or 656-6151

MOVE IN FOR CHRISTMAS
This delightful 4 level split can be yours in time for Christmas. It is only 4½ years old and is absolutely spotless right down to the gleaming oak floors. Finished family room plus an unfinished basement level, make this an ideal family home. Fireplace in living room and sundeck off dining room. Choice Sidney location. A real treat to view. New MLS. $57,500 with large 1st mortgage.
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1610 Island H'way

SOOKE
$47,900
Lots of living space in this 3-year-old, 3-bedroom home.
2 baths
42' rumpus room
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Fireplace in L.R.
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LOTS $7,500
In Sooke on Wright Avenue. Purchase the 55 year lease outright for this reasonable price. Lot size 100x130.
2 B.R. older type home overlooking Sooke Harbour. Corner lot 80x200 with fruit trees, shrubs, etc. ONLY $38,500
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256 WATERFRONT PROPERTIES

DEEP COVE WATERFRONT 2-BEDROOM HOME ON ONE ACRE $114,900
What a wonderful opportunity! This beautiful waterfront property, facing SOUTH, is located on a lovely large treed lot, in the middle of one of the nicest coves in the Chalet Road area. Living room with friendly STONE FIREPLACE. Dining room with sliding glass doors to excellent sundeck (17x12). Compact den with access to another smaller patio. Two bedrooms and a 3-piece old fashioned bathroom. Down, in the part basement, we have TWO more small bedrooms and the utility area. On city water PLUS 150-ft. well. Separate garage. What a pleasant SECLUDED location with SEAVIEWS. This is a RARE commodity on today's market. For appointment to view call GEORGE BLACK 479-8886 or 383-4124 anytime or ROBERT YOUNG, 477-8749 or 479-2115. Park Pacific Investments Ltd. MLS.

260 FT. WATERFRONT
A unique property, 3.5 acres, beautifully wooded providing absolute privacy for a moderate sized but thoroughly charming 3-bdrm. home with spacious living and dining rms. for gracious living and entertaining. The superb deep water boat wharf accommodates several large boats for year round moorage. Close to Victoria, all in excellent condition. Price $250,000. For more particulars:
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Montague
Co. Ltd.
384-9318
1028 BLANSHARD St

PRIME SEA VIEW
SAANICH PENINSULA
4½ acres of rural residential land overlooking Bazan Bay, $39,900. E. Kolstad 642-5315.

PARKSVILLE ACREAGE

46 acres all year creek, paved road, hydro, $110,000. 15 acres, $40,000. 12 acres with stream, $35,000. All beautifully treed. Owner will consider terms.
Mrs. Webb, Res. 477-3095
Johnson and Co. 385-2471

BUILD A DUPLEX

I have a large lot for sale (approx. 1¼ acres) with a wealth of natural beauty including a clear year-round stream — only 15 minutes from city. Worth your investigation? It most certainly is! Priced at $28,900. Phone J. J. WILLIAMS 386-2955 or res. 479-1163. Mayfair Realty.

MINI FARM!

Give her or him for Christmas 2 ac. in North Saanich to start a mini farm. 2 parcels, one treed, one cleared. Drilled well, pump, driveway, fence! ML 147535. Full price $43,000.
656-4000 K. DROST 656-2427
SAANICH PENINSULA
PROPERTIES OF SIDNEY

PRESTIGE 5 ACRES

Desirable property? You figure it out, 2 owners in 16 years. Over 1600 sq. ft. on one level accommodation. Fully developed five acres. Double garage. Fruit trees, horse stalls, fenced pasture. Exclusive.
Tom Evans, 652-2620

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144 ACRES
Asking $150,000. Secluded forest land with creek and old farm home. Estate sale. First time offered in 47 yrs. Out Sooke Rd., 10 miles past Colwood. About 3 blocks off the Sooke Rd. 15 ft. access road along the creek. MLS 14388.
ROY ANDERSON
385-3435 477-5057
P. R. BROWN AND SONS LTD.

UNIQUE
PENINSULA
ACREAGE
2 blocks from Pat Bay, well treed, many fruit trees, 2 Bdrm. house and 1-Bdrm. cottage now renting. 2.8 acres. Private sale. 656-2014, 656-1689.

WATERFRONT
Appr. 3,000 ft. plus 40 acres subdividable. South Salt Spring Island. Price $135,000. Call 592-3920 or 386-6552, F. C. Hully, Real Estate, 620 View.

PEDDER BAY WAY
Rocky Pt. Road, 4 treed acres, stream. Owner says sell, offers. $35,000. MLS.
385-2471 BILL McCULLOCH 479-4487
Johnston and Co. Ltd.

285 UP-ISLAND PROPERTIES

QUALICUM GARDENS

A new residential lot subdivision within the boundaries of Qualicum Beach village in a lovely serene area, but just a short distance to shops, beach, golf courses and other amenities. The lots are beautifully treed, fully serviced and present no building site problems. A selection of lot sizes is offered. Price ranges from $14,500 with terms available. For further information please call Fred Boughen evenings collect 752-6283 or write to me c-o Nanaimo Realty Ltd., Box 1088, Parksville, or call 248-6167.

LOG HOUSE VANCOUVER ISLAND

For the summer seclusion away from it all. Just 3½ miles west of Youbou in the beautiful Lake Cowichan country. Extremely well-built with 2 bedrooms, large living room and balcony. Cabin on adjoining lot being completed by present owner. Log house, cabin and both lots — all for $54,000.
NANAIMO REALTY
(DUNCAN) LTD.
435 Trunk Road, Duncan, B.C.

MILL BAY

Panoramic seaview on nearly ¾ acres. This home is brand new and ready to move in. Exceptionally well built 1300 sq. ft. with 3 bedrooms, 2 fireplaces, sundeck and wall to wall carpets. Experience country living and seclusion with all the city conveniences. MLS $65,900. To view call GLENN NICHOLLS or GERRY FINNIGAN 388-6231 or 598-7689 or 479-1040.
ISLAND PACIFIC REALTY.

LADYSMITH AREA
Lovely 2-acre lot close to ocean and on a paved road. Very private. Should be good for trailer pad. Asking $16,900. Call:
PETER TER VEER
384-8001 479-1588
THE ROYAL TRUST CO.

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3 MILES NORTH OF MILL BAY
2.42 ACRES
Lovely property, part meadow, part beautifully wooded; wide road frontage, lovely views include some sea view. On water line. Price only $22,500. Call GRAY LORENZEN, 652-1038 MALAHAT REALTY LTD. 743-5525. Box 40, Mill Bay.

COURTENAY
10 acres agricultural land on Tsolum with older 3 bedroom house and out building. Courtenay 5 minutes. 112-338-6380.

FORBIDDEN PLATEAU
Ski cabin on large treed duplex-zoned lot near chair lift. Available immediately. 683-1966.

285 UP-ISLAND PROPERTIES

SHAWNIGAN
REALTY LTD.
Shawnigan Lake 743-5311

$74,900
HOME ON 2.3 ACRES
Exquisite European style villa in the Mill Bay area — 2 storeys of beauty and sophistication. Does something to you — impressive entrance hall, living room, dining room. Den, 4 bedrooms, 3 bathrooms. Superb quality throughout. ML 13355.

$69,000
5 LARGE BEDROOMS
4-yr.-old home on 2 acres in the Shawnigan area. Marvellous home if you have teenagers. Basement professionally developed. Recreation pool room. 2 bathrooms, 3 fireplaces, 3-car garage. Year-round creek through the property. Nowhere can you get so much for your money. ML 14168.

$23,000
TWO COTTAGES ON ONE LOT
One-third of an acre with unobstructed lake view. Good swimming. Water supply available.

$29,800
THREE BEDROOMS
In the Village of Shawnigan Lake. Spacious no-step home. Very large living room, modern kitchen, bathroom, good condition. Could be commercial.

$125,000
HOME WITH INCOME
1700 square feet of deluxe country home on 5½ acres. Fully completed basement suite rents out for $175 per month. A truly extraordinary new home. On the land are two rented homes. One rents for $200, the other will easily rent out for $300 upon completion. All together $8,100 income per year, plus 5 acres of usable land. Plus a fantastic home for yourself. A rich man's home you can afford.

1 year old home, 1,100 sq. ft. near Cobble Hill School. Full basement. Lot 150x132. 19x18 living room, Franklin fireplace, family kitchen, 3 bedrooms. Space for 24x24 rumpus room. Asking $49,900. New 3-bedroom mobile home. Cobble Hill. Lot 50x132. Good well. Asking $19,900. New ML.

743-5311 JOHN ETTEMA 743-2607
743-5311 MARIE MALBON 743-5145
Call Collect Anytime

YOUBOU LAKEFRONT

100x100' waterfront lot on Saseenos Bay. Trees. Lovely view. Fill available. $15,900.

2½ AC. (approx.) lakefront property Saseenos Peninsula. Zoned Rec-Commercial resort use. Level land, trees above high water. Popular vacation area. Asking $90,000.
ELAIN HOLM 746-4175 748-9388

DUNCAN — EXOTIC SPANISH HOME

This deluxe 2276 sq. ft. home was built by contractor so has many outstanding features, including heated pool, 2 FP's, intercom, spiral stairway, terrazzo floors in bsmt., R.I. sauna, etc. Rural setting with view of valley and mountains. Full price only $109,000. Call BOB DODD, 743-2766 or Block Bros. Realty Ltd. 746-4175 Duncan.

GLENORA--SOUTH OF DUNCAN

Almost 2 acres with a renovated 3-bedroom house; plus a rental cottage. Property is completely landscaped, house has good big rooms, 2 bathrooms and new kitchen cabinets. $62,500.

COWICHAN BAY SEAVIEW

Brand new basement home on a secluded treed lot in a quiet area of new homes. House features short shag carpets throughout, free standing brick fireplace, 2 large bedrooms and a basement. Electric heat. $49,900.
For more information on either of the above call Dorothy Smith at 748-8105 or 746-5977 or 748-2521 for 24-hour service.

THE PERMANENT
DUNCAN

GOLF OR FISH??

Would you rather do this than have to look after a yard? Consider Cowichan Bay. Within driving area of Victoria and only 8 miles from Duncan. 2 bedrm condominium of concrete and steel construction, appliances, drapes and carpets included. The two sundecks allow privacy and a lovely view of the Bay and Saltspring Island. Block from marina and about 2 miles from the golf course. Must be seen. Qualifies for C.M.H.C. at the price of $42,500. MLS 14789. SUE WARKE 479-7725 or 477-0141 or CONNIE WEYLER 592-1961 or 477-0141.

Canada Permanent
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Vancouver Island Retreat 15.56 Acres

Seclusion and Solitude can be yours while you admire the panoramic views from your executive 2-bedrm. home. North of Qualicum Beach. This property has 700' frontage on Georgia Strait, park-like settings, fruit trees, and many other extras. Priced at $198,500. MLS 14630. JOT HOME, 592-2130 or 477-0141 or J. (JIM) BAILLIE, 479-4594 or 382-9191.

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LAND SALE
PRICED FROM $7,000
TERMS $70 DOWN,
$70 MONTHLY
Nanaimo—¾ acre, good soil, just north of city centre, price $11,500.
Qualicum—½ acre treed price $9,900, just $90 down and $90 monthly including interest.
Lantzville—10 miles north of Nanaimo, corner lot, village water, price $12,000.
Ucluelet—service lots, price $7,000, $70 down and $70 monthly including interest. Choice investment here.
Tofino—½ acre, sandy beach, $25,000.
For brochures and information phone or write Peter Kloosterboer, personally, at Nanaimo Realty Company Limited, Box 518, Nanaimo, at 754-2311 collect or evenings, 758-7771, collect.

PARADISE

Rambling ranch style home, on the river, 2 double garages — 13 —acres — cleared and ready to plant. Must be seen! $125,000. Call Charlotte Willis, Plateau Realty Ltd., 338-8962.

290 FARMS FOR SALE AND WANTED

Central Interior Beef or Dairy Farm

Vanderhoof, B.C., 320 acres, 200 acres under cultivation, year round creek, water rights, 120 acre feet for irrigation. Dairy barn, milking parlor, loafing sheds, 2 hay sheds, home and shop.
This farm does not have a herd or quota. Priced at $115,000 with some terms if required.

Interior, B.C. Waterfront

75 acres, ¾ miles of lake frontage, 35 acres under cultivation. Small home and outbuildings. Priced at $85,000.
For details contact HOWARD WINGFIELD 748-8186 eves 748-1031. Astro Realty Ltd., 427 Canada Ave., Duncan, B.C.

NORTH SAANICH

20 acres in 4.5 acre parcels. Stalls for 13 horses. Large barn and hay loft. 3 Bdrm. house, part base. For more information phone WILF DAVIES 656-5002 or 388-6231 Island Pacific Realty.

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75 ACRES, 35 CLEARED, 4 miles north of Courtenay, 6-year-old 2-bedroom house and barn — all fenced, good well and pond. Asking $110,000. Phone Nanaimo 753-1751.

290 FARMS FOR SALE and WANTED

COBBLE HILL FARM

20 acres, majority cleared and all fenced and cross fenced. Lovely 5 bedroom home with paved circular drive, first class barn, small chicken house, heavy duty shop (designed for gravel or logging truck servicings). 3 wells, plus rental trailer on property. Must be seen. Full price $162,000. For appointment to view call MICHAEL EVANS at 746-5171 or evenings at 748-9626.
H. W. DICKIE LIMITED
70 Government Street,
Duncan, B.C.
"WE SELL THE ISLAND"

EAGLE REALTY LTD.
Box 1060 Parksville, B.C.
Telephone 248 6191

293 GULF ISLAND PROPERTIES

the Permanent

1125 DOUGLAS ST. and
3647 SHELBOURNE ST.

Spacious Living

A delightful home of 2500 sq. ft. on one level; log-burning fireplace in 26x20 living room, 2 baths. Sited with ocean view on approx. 1.68 acres. Close in, near the hospital. New MLS $69,900. Salt Spring Island. SID HASLAM 477-1994 or GRAY LAITE 656-5267.

Development Potential

Well located very near the hospital. Acreage with ocean views, cleared and fenced. Ideal holding and priced accordingly at $79,500 for approx. 3 acres. New MLS. Salt Spring Island. SID HASLAM 477-1994 or GRAY LAITE 656-5267.

Canada Permanent
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SALT SPRING Lands Ltd.

PENDER ISLAND

ACREAGE
10 acres, manageable land, easily cleared with good growing possibilities. Great potential for anyone wanting to get back to the land. Reasonable terms on $32,500.

Nearly 1 acre, treed, level, garden soil, paved rd., power and phone. $7,900.
Lovely building lot, level and treed with several majestic cedars. Power and water. Ideal Mobile home site! $8,900.

Selection of other fine lots for as little as $6,000 and low dn. payment.
CALL COLLECT MANFRED BURANDT
Pender Island 629-3271

SALT SPRING LANDS LTD.,
Box 69, GANGES, B.C. 537-5515

SALT SPRING ISLAND
1 and 1½ acres. Gentle slope. Ideal for mobile home. Has well. Epron Road. $24,900. Call: JOHN HOLMS at 598-3344.

SALT SPRING ISLAND
2 BRAND NEW HOMES
Each on ½ acre lot. On sewer, water, hydro and phone.
1.—$43,000. 3 bedrooms. Attractive design. Try an offer. MLS. Call: JOHN HOLMS at 598-3344.
2—$39,900. 2 bedrooms. Over 900 square feet. Offers accepted. Call: JOHN HOLMS at 598-3344.
JACK MEARS OAK BAY REALTY LTD.

HORNBY AND DENMAN
ISLANDS
½, 1, and 1½ ACRE LOTS
A place for holidays, retirement or investment, these islands have large natural parks, safe beaches, good fishing areas, oysters, clams etc. Excellent for bicycling riding, hiking, or just plain walking. Very good ferry system. Now have good selection of lots sizes ½ acre to 1½ acres, prices from $6,200 to $14,900. Also have some good waterfront lots available. For more information or to view contact Dave McLaughlin personally at Nanaimo Realty Co. Ltd., Box 518 Nanaimo. 754-2311 or evenings 753-5847.

PARADISE FOUND

7½ acres of prime Salt Spring Island — served by black top roads — power — short, fast numerous ferries to Victoria and Vancouver. This superb property has views of Sansum Narrows, Ganges Harbour and St. Mary's Lake. It is close by Vesuvius Bay — warm and sunny. It is subdividable and is offered at $65,900. Owners will look at all offers. Please call J. J. WILLIAMS for details, 386-2955 or res. 479-1163. Mayfair Realty.

294 MAINLAND AND OUT OF PROVINCE PROPERTIES

RETIRE
Owner will take a trade for 100 acres in the Niagara Peninsula. All cleared except 6 acres of trees. Steel building 40x40. Drilled well. Natural drainage. Excellent land. Paved roads in the Grand Valley area. CAMILLE DERKSEN, 383-4069 or 598-3321.
JACK MEARS
OAK BAY REALTY LTD.

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FAST

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS

ESTATE OF FRED JAMES LAWSON Deceased, Late of Suite 506-240 Douglas Street, Victoria, British Columbia.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Creditors and others having claims against the estate of the above-named deceased are hereby required to send them to the Executor, care of National Trust Company, Limited, 1280 Douglas Street, Victoria, B.C. before the 30th day of January, A.D. 1976 after which date the Executor will distribute the said Estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it then has notice.

NATIONAL TRUST
COMPANY, LIMITED
Executor
By its Solicitors
MacMINN & IZARD

SHERIFF'S SALE

Under and by virtue of a Writ of Fieri Facias and various Warrants of Execution issued out of various Courts and to me directed against the goods and chattels of Ronald L. Cook, carrying on business as Knights Trucking, I have seized and will offer for sale by public auction at 3321 Tennyson Avenue, Victoria, B.C. on Friday the 19th day of December, 1975 at the hour of 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon all the right, title and interest of:

One 1966 Ford Diesel Tandem Dumptruck, Serial No. T85LU780522

Terms of Sale: on a where is and as is basis, cash, plus 5% Sales Tax. For further particulars apply to the office of the undersigned.

W. A. Lee
Sheriff
Vancouver Island Region No. 1
Sheriff's Office
Victoria Law Courts
Victoria, B.C.
December 9, 1975.

SHERIFF'S SALE

Under and by virtue of a Writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the County Court of Vancouver and to me directed against the goods and chattels of Dan Heffernan, carrying on business as the Free Press, I have seized and will offer for sale by public auction at 3321 Tennyson Avenue, Victoria, on Friday, the 19th day of December, 1975 at the hour of 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon all the right, title and interest of:

One 1968 Ford LTD, Serial No. 8P62Z128272

Terms of Sale: on a where is and as is basis, cash, plus 5% Sales Tax. For further particulars apply to the office of the undersigned.

W. A. Lee
Sheriff
Vancouver Island Region No. 1
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Victoria, B.C.
December 9, 1975

TENDERS FOR GAS AND OIL ROYAL OAK BURIAL PARK

Sealed Tenders, addressed to Mr. L. Treloar, Secretary, Board of Cemetery Trustees of Greater Victoria, 4673 Falaise Drive, Victoria, B.C. marked "TENDER FOR GAS AND/OR OIL" will be accepted up to and including 4:30 P.M. January 19th, 1976 for a one-year supply commencing February 1, 1976 and terminating January 31, 1977 of 30,000 gallons (more or less) of furnace oil delivered as required to a 1000 gallon tank at the Royal Oak Crematorium and/or 3,000 gallons (more or less) of marked regular gasoline delivered to a 200-gallon tank at the Royal Oak Burial Park.

Tenders submitted for both products will be considered separately unless otherwise indicated. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

L. Treloar,
Secretary-Treasurer
Board of Cemetery Trustees
of Greater Victoria

CITY OF VICTORIA SALE OF BUILDING

Offer for sale by bid building SUITABLE FOR SUMMER COTTAGE situate on land adjacent to Burnside Fire Hall, corner Burnside & Dunedin Streets formerly known as the Tourist Information Booth.

Building Description-"A" frame type structure, mounted on skids, size 10' x 24' = 240 sq. ft., single room with separate toilet and sink, sliding glass doors in front, cedar siding.

Conditions of Sale — All permits, etc., are responsibility of successful bidder Structure will not be occupied on site — will be removed within 30 days of date of notification to successful bidder. Failure to move within 30 days will result in forfeiture of all right of ownership to building — ownership will revert to City.

Building will be open for viewing on Saturday, December 20, 1975, from 10 a.m.-12 noon. Bids must be accompanied by deposits of 10% of the price offered, by means of a certified cheque in favour of the City of Victoria, which will be returned to unsuccessful bidders. Balance payable on acceptance of bid. Bids must be in the hands of the Land Commissioner, City Hall, by December 30, 1975.

City Council reserves the right to accept or decline any proposal.

K. R. WILKINS
Land Commissioner
December 9, 1975.

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT FISHERIES & MARINE SERVICE

Sealed tenders marked "Purchase of Farm Raised Fish" will be received by the Director, Pacific Biological Station, Nanaimo, B.C., V9R 5K6 up to noon P S T on 30th December 1975 Tenders for the purchase of approximately 2000 pounds of small Salmon are to be submitted in letter form, on a price per pound basis, f.o.b. Fishpens, at the Pacific Biological Station, Nanaimo.

Of the 2000 pounds of fish for sale, slightly more than half are Sockeye, in the range of 8 to 14 ozs., with 10% larger and 10% smaller The remaining fish are Coho with about 70% in the 8 to 12 ozs. range and 30% in the 12 to 16 ozs range. All weights given are in the round.

All fish are expected to be in good condition and are to be processed for human consumption only Weight of fish will be determined by Department personnel who will provide the necessary scales. All containers required to remove the fish and any other necessary items are to be provided by the buyer

To be considered, tenders must be accompanied by a money order or certified cheque payable to the Receiver General of Canada in the amount of 10% of the tender based on an estimated 2000 lbs. of fish in the round. The deposit of the successful tender will be retained until satisfactory completion of the operation. Payment for fish taken is payable to the Receiver General of Canada within 10 days of the pick up. Purchaser will take delivery of the fish between 12th and 16th January 1976, but this period is open to negotiation.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all tenders and the highest tender will not necessarily be accepted

'NESSIE' PHOTO MAY BE MODEL

GLASGOW, Scotland (AP) — The controversial Loch Ness monster photographs taken by an American research team may show nothing more than a motion picture model that sank in the loch in late 1960s.

That theory was advanced Friday by retired Scottish librarian, Roy Muir, who has been seeking the legendary monster for 15 years.

"At first I thought the monster theory had been proved," said Muir, one of the first to congratualte the team from the Boston Academy of Applied Science on their photographs, taken last summer.

"But when I heard the descriptions of a 'gargoyle-like' head with two appendages, my memory immediately clicked about the model.

"I remember watching it capsize and sink during the filmmaking. I can't remember the exact date, but I think it was in the late '60s."

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of the deceased: LABLE, Arthur, late of Victoria, B.C.

Creditors and others having claims against the said estate(s) are hereby required to send them duly verified, to the PUBLIC TRUSTEE, 635 Burrard Street, Vancouver, B.C. V6C 3L7, before the 30th day of January, 1976 after which date the assets of the said estate (s) will be distributed, having regard only to claims that have been received.

CLINTON W. FOOTE,
PUBLIC TRUSTEE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

EMMIE LOWE, formerly of 1717 Boundary Avenue, Nanaimo, British Columbia, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that creditors and others having claims against the estate of the above deceased are hereby required to send them to the undersigned Executors at 737 Fort Street, Victoria, B.C., before the 17th day of January, 1976, after which date the Executors will distribute the said estate among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which it then has notice.

YORKSHIRE TRUST
COMPANY
Executors
BY COX, TAYLOR,
HOLMES & BARBER
Their Solicitors

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA QUOTATION NO. 8470 — AUTOMOBILES

Quotations are invited for supply of automobiles to the Capital Regional District.

Forms and specifications, available from the undersigned, must be returned not later than 4:00 p.m., December 19, 1975.

Lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

H. V. Robinson
City Purchasing Agent
City Hall
Victoria, B.C.
December 9, 1975

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA QUOTATION NO. 8471— MEALS FOR INMATES

Sealed quotations will be received by the undersigned up until noon on Tuesday, December 16, 1975, for supplying meals to the inmates of the lock-up in the City Police Station.

Forms of Quotation, specifications and general conditions may be obtained from this office.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

H. V. Robinson
City Purchasing Agent
City Hall
Victoria, B.C.
December 9, 1975

CP Air Man Moving East

VANCOUVER (CP) — Edwin Ogden has been appointed regional vice-president, Eastern Canada, for CP Air.

Ogden will assume his new job in Toronto on Jan. 1, 1976, succeeding Frank Holland, who is retiring.

Ogden has been at CP Air's Vancouver headquarters for the past two years. He was born in Detroit and raised and educated in Calgary. He joined CP Air in 1955.

TENDERS FOR TABLETS ROYAL OAK BURIAL PARK

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to Mr L. Treloar, Secretary, Board of Cemetery Trustees of Greater Victoria, 4673 Falaise Drive, Victoria, B.C. and marked "Tender for Tablets" will be accepted up to and including 4:30 P M. January 19th, 1976 for the supply of marble and/or bronze urn tablets on a one-year contract commencing February 1st, 1976 and expiring January 31st, 1977. Full particulars as to design and quality of material may be obtained from Mr Treloar at address above.

Applicants should be prepared to provide sample tablet if requested. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

L. Treloar,
Secretary-Treasurer,
Board of Cemetery Trustees
of Greater Victoria

ANOTHER WILSON'S VALUE PACKED

AUCTION

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TUES, DEC. 16th '75 at 10 a.m.

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LATE ADDITIONS

(2) WHEEL LOADERS: '69 Hough H90E, c/w #30 Weldco Grapple • '69 Trojan 4000, c/w #28 Weldco Grapple •

SALE SITE PHONES: (604) 374-4725 & 4922

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THE GOVERNMENT OF
THE PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING

Proposal call Housing program

The Provinical Department of Housing invites proposals from developers for the construction of ground-oriented rental accommodation for families through the medium of a three stage submission.

Units proposed for construction should be sited on land owned by the proponent or under option to him in the Greater Vancouver and Lower Mainland Area, or the Greater Victoria Area.

Accepted proposals will be financed during construction and then purchased upon completion.

Proponents need only submit the following preliminary information in STAGE 1.

1. Map indicating site location.
2. Evidence of ownership or control of site.
3. Proposed number and type of units.
4. Existing zoning and planned zoning if available.
5. An approximate unit price.

All proposals, clearly marked "Proposal Call Housing Program" should be submitted to:

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Ottawa Curbs to Halt Pay Raises for MPs

Times News Services

OTTAWA — The government was preparing a statement on spending restraints for itself Friday, including a plan to scrap pay raises scheduled for members of Parliament Jan. 1, while the opposition criticized its handling of the anti-inflation program.

Finance Minister Donald Macdonald is expected to announce next Tuesday a package of economy measures that will pare up to $1.5 billion from federal spending in the financial year starting in April.

Government officials say Commons and Senate members intend to pass up the $2,400 pay raise they were to receive Jan. 1.

Meanwhile, noisy opposition critics said the success of the restraints program has been thrown into jeopardy because of cabinet's decision to reject an anti-inflation board ruling in the case of postal workers.

The board said the pay settlement that ended a six-week postal strike last week was excessive. Cabinet decided Thursday the settlement must stand "for the public interest."

The noise was so great in the chamber that Speaker James Jerome's repeated calls for "order, order" were drowned out.

Opposition Leader Robert Stanfield triggered the verbal storm when he charged the cabinet with applying a different standard to the postal workers than it applied to the Toronto and Hamilton secondary school teachers and pulp and paper workers.

There was an obvious difference in policy between the cabinet and the Anti-Inflation Board said Tory Allan Lawrence.

He asked: Does the cabinet agree or not agree with the Anti-Inflation Board policy that where a union has a historical relationship with another bargaining unit this would not justify an exemption from the wage and price guidelines?

Opposition House Leader Gerald Baldwin suggested the cabinet issue another set of guidelines so the public would have some knowledge of how the cabinet intends to intervene to interpret the board's decisions based on the already-published White Paper guidelines. They were issued in October.

Demands for the resignation of board chairman Jean-Luc Pepin came from the New Democratic Party.

Leader Ed Broadbent charged the Anti-Inflation Board with "completely distorting the 'historical relationship' qualification in the White Paper with its postal workers decision.

"The government will face persistent difficulties as a court for settling labour disputes during the next 12 months," Broadbent warned.

"It is time the government asked for the resignation of Pepin and put in a competent person."

"Hear, hear." shouted opposition MPs.

Macdonald also told the Commons that early action by the Anti-Inflation Board in combatting rising food prices is on the way.

Lang Soothing French Feathers

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Airport Facility Blasted

OTTAWA (FP) — An Alberta Tory MP Friday accused Transport Minister Otto Lang of "trying to hide behind the facade of a restraint program" to avoid updating "shameful" facilities at Ottawa International Airport.

Don Mazankowski claimed the airport has fallen far behind Canadian standards, "in my view too far for a nation's capital."

Mazankowski suggested some of the funds originally earmarked for an abandoned super-airport projecvt at Pickering, near Toronto, might be redirected to upgrading and improving the terminal facilities at Ottawa.

"It is not a matter of saying there is money available because Pickering is not going ahead," Lang told the Commons. "The question is one of overall governmental priorities as to what indeed can be justified in the way of expenditures in this period of restraint."

The minister said the government would be doing less airport improvement work than in a normal year when inflation was not a problem.

OTTAWA (CP) — Transport Minister Otto Lang Friday faced increasing pressure to speed up the process of phasing-in the use of French in air-traffic control operations at Quebec airports.

As a result of this pressure, much of it from Liberal backbenchers, Lang is scheduled to be in Montreal today to meet disgrunteled Quebec air-traffic controllers and other aviation people.

The meeting to be held at Dorval Airport come at the request of the Quebec Liberal caucus in Parliament according to a statement by caucus president Gerard Duquet.

The minister is to meet representatives of l'association des gens de l'air du Quebec," Duquet said, "to discuss measures needed to favor the use of French in control operations."

The issue rose to the surface earlier this week with the suspension of two air-traffic controllers at Dorval for unauthorized use of French in control operations involving instrument flight rules.

Liberal and Creditiste MPs from Quebec have been questioning Lang daily in the commons about the suspensions and about the use of French in general at airports.

Mr. Duquet said that Health Minister Marc Lalonde, head of the Quebec wing of the federal Liberal party, would be at the meeting today along with a group of Quebec MPs.

Lang told the Commons Friday that his officials met representatives of l'association des gens de l'air Thursday and that "the atmosphere was improved" as a result of those talks.

Last-Ditch Bid to Save Time

OTTAWA (CP) — Liberal MP Norman Cafik says he will make a last-minute attempt in the Commons next week to save the Canadian editions of Time magazine and Reader's Digest.

Cfik served notice Friday he will seek a two-year delay in the planned Jan. 1 legislation affecting the tax status of advertisers in the two publications.

He will also seek a reduction to 60 per cent from 80 per cent in the Canadian editorial content, set in October by Revenue Minister Bud Cullen, he said.

Cafik said in an interview that "30, 40 or more" Liberals have serious doubts about the tax legislation but only about a dozen will break ranks with the party to support his amendments.

The Liberal majority in the 20-member Commons broadcasting committee this week rejected Progressive Conservative appeals for a one-year delay and approved the legislation without change.

Oil Price Jump Forecast For Canadians July 1

OTTAWA (CP) — Energy Minister Alastair Gillespie said most provinces agreed Friday that oil prices must rise next July 1 and that the principle of one national price should be maintained.

After a meeting with provincial ministers, Gillespie said there was "a better awareness that Canadian prices should go up to encourage exploration and provide the money needed by the oil industry for exploration."

But Dennis Timbrell, his counterpart from Ontario, which led the fight against higher prices, last year said his delegation had not agreed to any increase after the current agreement expires June 30.

Gillespie said no consensus was reached on the method of implementing next year's increases, a problem he says must be solved before talks start on how much prices should rise.

When the price increased by $1.50 a barrel to $8 last July 1, Ottawa asked the oil companies not to pass the higher prices on to consumers for 45 days, allowing time for the inventories of crude oil bought at the lower price to be used up.

But both Ontario and Manitoba said the freeze was too short and extended it in their provinces until Nov. 15.

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EXPORT BOOST, TOO

OTTAWA (CP)—Energy Minister Alastair Gillespie joined the oil companies Friday in saying exports of natural gas to the United States will be needed to finance new supplies, especially those from the Arctic Islands.

Besides helping to pay for pipelines such as the Arctic route proposed by Polar Gas, earnings from the gas sales will help offset a growing deficit on oil trade, the minister said in an interview.

A National Energy Board report earlier this year said production of natural gas will be insufficient to meet both domestic and export demand by the end of the decade.

The federal government also has said that shipments to the U.S., currently one trillion cubic feet a year or 45 per cent of domesic production, may be curtailed as early as next winter.

The minister coupled his statement on exports with some optimism over natural gas reserves, saying it may not be as bad as earlier forecast by the board. He said drilling activity had picked up in the western provinces, primarily Alberta.

Energy Minister Don Getty of Alberta estimates drilling work has increased by 70 per cent this year as a result of higher natural gas prices and an end to the dispute with Ottawa over sharing royalties.

But he said it is too early to tell how much difference the drilling will make, although the province is optimistic.

EEC Talks Progressing

BRUSSELS (CP) — External Affairs Minister Allan MacEachen said Friday he is "very encouraged" to learn negotiations on Canada's contractual link with the Eurpean Economic Community can start early in the New Year.

He said that "despite the earlier Danish objection—or whatever it may be called—I understand that won't be an obstacle. We're certainly on target."

Approval of formal negotiations will be granted at the Jan. 19 meeting of the EEC Council of Ministers, a Common Market official said.

Acting Commissioner F. Gundelach of the EEC external relations commission added: "Approval will be a matter of formality—not of debate."

Asked if he is worried that some other problem—such as the Danish issue that stalled formal approval this week—might arise, MacEachen said firmly: "I'm not."

His comments came after a meeting with Francois-Xavier Ortoli, president of the EEC Commission.

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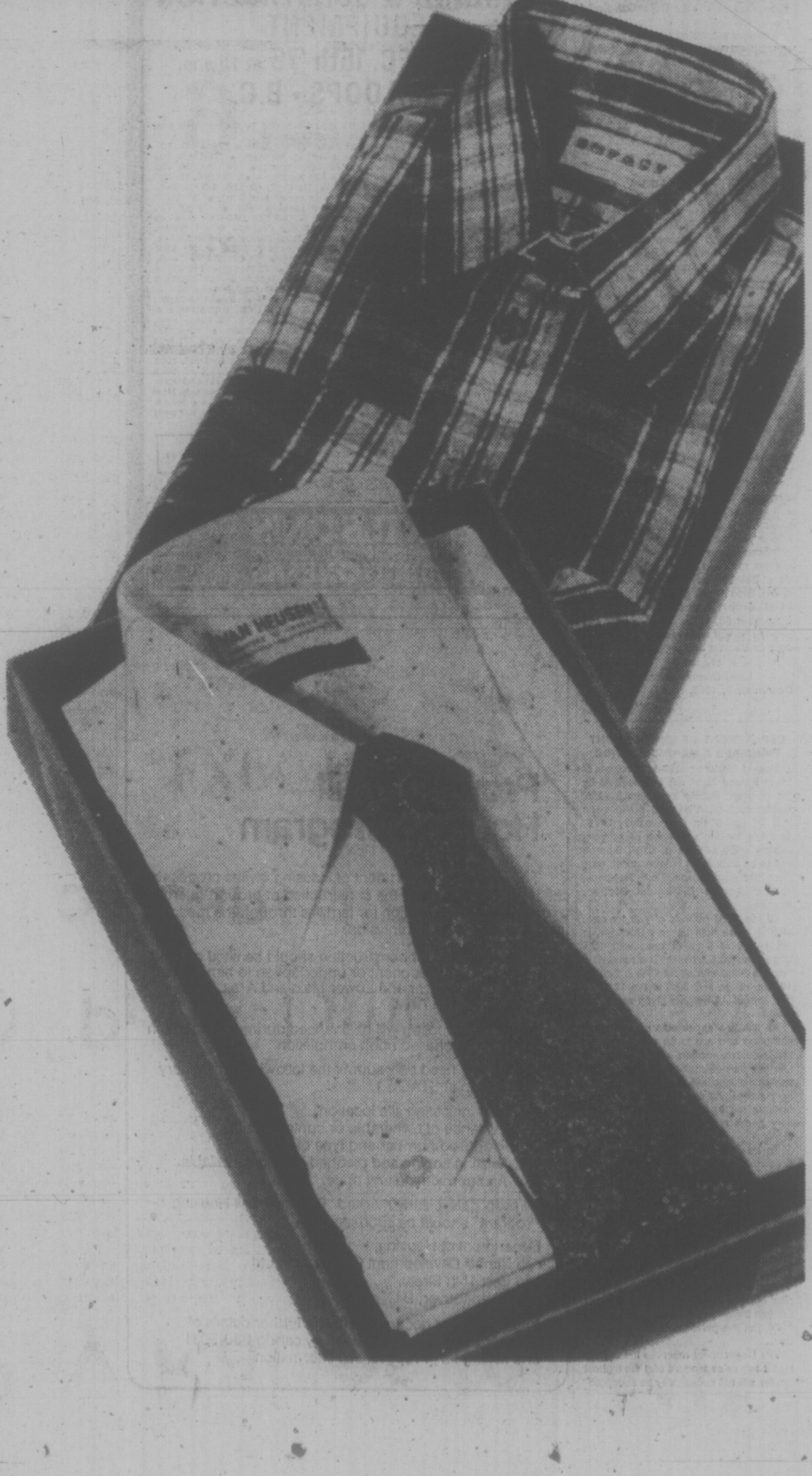

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LANDSLIDE BURIES WHITLAM

Aussies Turn Right

Times News Service

CANBERRA — A Conservative leaning coalition, headed by a millionaire farmer scored a landslide victory over the Australian Labor Party in today's election.

Early returns indicate the Liberal-National Country party coalition headed by Malcolm Fraser might gain up to a 50-seat majority in the 127-seat House of Representatives.

Labor held a three-seat majority in the last Parliament.

With 63 per cent of the vote for the House counted, the winning coalition with 84 seats has gained 7 per cent on its vote in last year's election. Labor, with 39 seats, was down by 5.3 per cent.

Four seats are still in doubt.

The Conservative victory was largely attributed to discontent of the public with labor's economic policies.

Australia has an inflation rate of 15 per cent and 400,000 unemployed.

Fraser, 45, has been caretaker prime minister since Labor leader Gough Whitlam was fired a month ago by Governor-General John Kerr following a budgetary deadlock.

In Sydney, the president of the Australian Labor party, Bob Hawke, said his party suffered "a stunning defeat."

"I think it will be a disaster for government in this country that the majority will be so large," he said.

Counting for the Senate was much slower but early returns indicated an anti-Labor trend here as well.

"We have lost a very great number of seats," Whitlam said in Canberra.

"The Liberal party has gained a great number of seats. Let me congratulate them on their success."

Fraser told reporters in Melbourne: "I don't see this as a victory for the Liberal party. It is a win for Australia."

He said the coalition won because of its policies "to move Australia forward."

IRA Bomb Factory Raided

LONDON (UPI) — Police found a bomb factory in London today and Scotland Yard chief Sir Robert Mark said its discovery was a direct outcome of the successful six-day Balcombe Street siege and the capture of four Irish gunmen.

In a raid on a North London apartment police confiscated explosives, detonators, a rifle and quantities of ammunition, Mark said.

Congratulations flooded in to the police from all sides — including Queen Elizabeth and Prime Minister Harold Wilson — for their capture of the four-man Irish Republican Army gang after a bloodless but nerve-testing siege that lasted almost six days.

One of the gunmen is Michael Wilson, prime suspect in the murder two weeks ago of Ross McWhirter, co-founder of the Guiness Book of Records.

Residents of the Balcombe Street area began organizing a collection for the policemen involved.

Vancouver rush-hour snarled by snow (above) and the big push (below)

Blizzard Blitzes Mainland

Times News Services

A 16-hour snowstorm centred on the lower mainland dumped 24.12 centimetres (9.5 inches) of snow on Vancouver Friday and overnight and caused widespread traffic chaos.

Rush hour traffic was snarled Friday by abandoned cars and innumerable minor accidents.

Hundreds of people gave up attempts to fight the nightmarish traffic and took advantage of special rates being offered by many hotels and spent the night in the city.

Police described roads as "asbolutely critical" and urged motorists to leave their cars at home. Traffic was slow on most roads and the Lions Gate and Patullo bridges were periodically closed.

Metropolitan Ambulance reported it was a couple of hours behind in answering calls. Bus service was in operation but long delays were reported.

The storm also forced postponement of a National Hockey League game between the Vancouver Canucks and the Philadelphia Flyers. The game will be played Feb. 18.

Locally, snow tires or chains are required on the Malahat due to icy conditions caused by a storm which dumped between one and 12 inches of snow on various parts of Vancouver Island Friday.

RCMP reported icy spots on the Island Highway between the Malahat and Campbell River. The road has been sanded but snow flurries are expected where temperatures still remain below zero.

The snow created treacherous driving conditions between Nanaimo and Campbell River.

At Gold River and Campbell River 12 inches of snow created traffic chaos and some 30 acciddnts were reported in the area.

RCMP said driving conditions between Nanaimo and Parksville Friday were treacherous due to a six-inch snowfall.

Snow also delayed landings at Vancouver International Airport and two Air Canada flights into Pat Bay Airport were cancelled.

Alcan Workers Bound to Controls

Times News Services

The federal anti-inflation board has ruled that the Canadian Association of Smelter and Allied Workers is not entitled to exemption from wage guidelines in negotiations with Alcan Smelters and Chemicals Ltd. in Kitimat.

The union had asked the board for "special consideration" and also asked the board to rule on the question of the existence of a long-established historical relationship in pay rates among the CASAW and employees of Cominco Ltd. and in the forest and pulp industries in British Columbia.

This broadly similar pattern of wage realtionships does not in itself constitute an historical relationship, the board ruled.

A further reason the workers did not qualify for exemption is that their prior contract had expired after October 14, 1975, the board added.

According to the guidelines, workers whose contracts were signed prior to 1974 and expired before Oct. 14 of this year may be given special consideration.

The negotiating impasse resulted when the Alcan workers refused a company offer of an 8.9 per cent pay increase in the first year of a two-year contract, and a six per cent increase in the second year on a base rate of $5.38 per hour.

An Alcan spokesman said the company had given notice of a lock-out because they couldn't operate the plant without a contract.

The lock-out was averted at the last minute when the parties, at the urging of B.C. Labor Minister Bill King agreed to ask the Anti-Inflation Board for a quick decision.

The parties have initialed an agreement on everything except pay, the Avon spokesman said.

A union spokesman said he has sent a telegram to the prime minister asking for the cabinet to overturn the board's decision.

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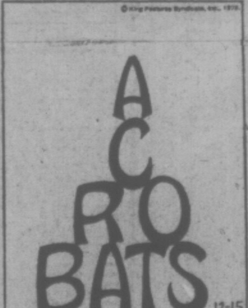

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One Big Gas

CHICAGO (CP) — Scores of motorists not only ignored shouts of help from two service station attendants who had been bound and robbed Friday but they helped themselves to gasoline at nine unattended pumps, police said.

Curtis McDowell, manager of the station, one of the busiest in the Chicago area, told police three gunmen walked into the station about early Friday and bound the two 19-year-old attendants with electric cords.

McDowell estimated the robbers, wearing green army field jackets and carrying pistols, took $5,000 in cash from a safe and $290 worth of cigarettes.

"They were there for about 45 minutes or so," said McDowell. "While two of them were inside, a third manned the pumps and pocketed the customers' money.

"When the three men left, motorists began arriving — we have a lot of factory workers that early in the morning as well as the usual stream of business. They began helping themselves. They pumped themselves about 400 gallons, as near as I can figure it now."

The attendants, Michael Fry and Kenneth Harris, said in an interview that they were bound and put in a room off the main office.

"I managed to crawl up to the front when the robbers left," said Harris. "I got up so I could see out the windows. I saw people pumping gas into their cars. I shouted, 'Help! Help! We've been robbed.' They just looked and kept pumping.

"Several of them came in. One man came in with $2 to pay for his gas. He looked at me and I said: 'Man, untie me, get the police.' He put the money back in his pocket, grabbed a bunch of cigarettes and told me that help was on the way. Then he returned to his car, filled it up with gas and drove away."

Harris said several other motorists arrived and did the same thing.

Police said they finally were summoned by an unidentified customer.

Warehouse Space Needed

Wanted: some warehouse space in a central location, preferably rent-free — for a good cause.

It's a tall order to fill but Mrs. E. G. Woodward, local representative for the Unitarian Service Committee of Canada, said Friday circumstances have produced a desperate need.

The USC is in the middle of its annual campaign for funds and clothing in Greater Victoria — aid for third-world countries where people are ill-clad and hungry.

And the former city firehall at Douglas and Burnside, which has been loaned free to the USC for the past two years, is now going to be developed by its new owners. With 51 boxes of material ready for shipment to Korea, the local USC organization has to get out.

Mrs. Woodward said what is needed is storage space, at least 35 by 50 feet with a 12-foot ceiling, dry and perferably with heat, light and water.

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Computers 'Open Door To Fraud'

OTTAWA (UPI) — The federal government's watchdog on waste said today financial controls are so lax that computer frauds involving tax money could occur anytime, and may have happened already.

Auditor - General J. J. Mcdonnell said in a report to Parliament this week that "the state of financial management and control in the departments and agencies of the government of Canada is significantly below an acceptable standard of quality and effectiveness."

He warned today this laxness is an open door to fraud.

"There has been a good deal of publicity and I am very glad there has been a lot of publicity about how easy it is to commit fraud with the use of computers.

"Now, the government of Canada is undoubtedly the largest user of computers in the whole country, and when you read a report like this, and realize how weak certain types of preventive controls are, I think the results speak for themselves.

"I mean, I am not suggesting that a con man could do all that much, it depends on what he intends to do. But, if controls are weak, it is an open invitation to fraud.

"I think for the lay reader of the report it may not come out all that clearly but, we do say that there are opportunities for fraud," he said in an interview with the Standard Broadcast News Parliamentary Bureau.

Mcdonnell was asked whether the lack of proven frauds was not a testimonial to government employees.

"There has not been that much fraud detected. I think there is quite a difference there," he said.

Now, if there are opportunities for fraud, you know, they may well have been exercised and we may not have detected them, because we have a pretty small resource in relation to 259,000 (government employed) people. The professional staff in my office is less than 300."

Mcdonnell recommended tougher auditing and management controls.

WORM RECIPE TAKES CAKE

POMONA, Calif. (UPI) — A recipe for "earthworm applesauce Surprise Cake" which includes a cup of chopped, dried earthworms has won first prize at the first annual cooking with worms contest.

The competition was sponsored by the North American Bait Co., with assistance from the nutrition department of Cal Poly of Pomona.

The bait company produces earthworms for fishermen, also for more modern uses such as soil aeration, waste disposal, fertilizer, animal feed and — most recently — people feed.

Train Hits Bus, 8 Killed

Times News Service

TORONTO — Eight people, all Toronto residents were killed and 20 persons injured Friday when a speeding GO Transit commuter train rammed a Toronto Transit Commission bus stopped at a level crossing in the eastern suburb of Scarborough.

Jack Ackroyd, deputy chief of Metropolitan Toronto police, said the rush-hour collision occurred after the eastbound bus stopped and was not able to move from the controlled crossing at the intersection of St. Clair Avenue East and Midland Avenue.

Staff Sergeant Allen Cryderman said the bus driver was trying to evacuate passengers from the stalled vehicle when the collision ccurred.

"Some of the passengers got out and some didn't," Cryderman said.

All of the eight dead, four men and four women, and all the 20 injured persons were on the bus. The three train crewmen and their 15 passengers were unharmed.

"The bus had just stopped to pick up some passengers and it was having trouble pulling away from the bus stop," Cryderman said. "It was crossing the tracks when it stalled."

Maurice Simms, a Canadian National spokesman, said when the bus rolled to a halt "the barriers went down and the lights started flashing. The bus driver did the right thing. He tried to evacuate the bus.

"He also signalled to the engineer of the train, but there was no way the express could stop. He was on the express run from Pickering to Union Station (Toronto) and he was going over 70 miles an hour."

Witnesses said some of the persons killed were standing behind the bus, thinking they were out of the train's way.

Property Tax Relief for Old First Bennett Pledge

By AL FORREST
Times Staff

Social Credit leader Bill Bennett has avoided making any major announcements since the election but in an interview with the Times immediately prior to voting day he laid out his proposed government program for 1976, including a plan to remove all property taxes for 90 per cent of British Columbians over 65.

He said in the interview top priority would go to a new program of raising the home-owner grant for the elderly so high that 90 per cent of them would be totally exempt from taxes.

Those 65 and over who own mansions would get the same exemption but they would have to pay any taxes above the amount of the grant.

Bennett declined to specualte on how high the grant would go, whether to $600 or $1,000 but said it would depend entirely on how high it must be raised so all but the top 10 per cent would be totally exempt from property taxes.

Bennett also said there would be a mini-purge of government officials to remove those of a political nature.

"Everybody knows who they are," Bennett said, but he declined to name names.

Bennett said he would call two sessions of the legislature in 1976.

In the spring session, probably starting in the first week in February, he would do these things:

—Bring in portfolio changes featuring a new super minister of the environment who would have the power to overrule decisions by other cabinet ministers.

—Appoint an auditor-general.

—Appoint an ombudsman.

—Send the election boundaries commission back to the drawing board for a completely new study, but using some of the testimony from the Norris Commission which has just completed its report but not yet published its findings. Added to the new commission would be a study of election expenses.

It would be basically a "corrective session" in February, Bennett said.

He said department officials have already finalized budget plans with the outgoing ministers and it would be too late to start from square one. Changes involving money would come in the fall.

Bennett said that while there would be an early purge of political appointments "it won't be a witch hunt."

He said there were a number of people brought in and appointed by order-in-council and they would be removed by order-in-council.

"There have been a lot of political appointments by this government," he said.

"Those who don't have the competency, who in my mind were just appointed politically will be removed. There are a lot of political people and everybody knows who they are."

On the other hand, a few, who some Social Credit people feel were political appointments will be retained if they are fully competent.

Bennett said an attempt has to be made to retain as much continuity in government as possible.

The fact someone came in under the old Social Credit government did not guarantee protection nor the fact they were appointed by the NDP automatically mean they would be dismissed.

Those who have come up through the ranks generally will be safe. Those brought in by the NDP because of their political philosophy or as a political favor or because they would do as they were told, will be studied carefully for possible removal.

"I'm trying to do a job."

Bennett announced he would deviate from the pattern established by Bennett the elder and by Premier Barrett and would not hold the dual portfolios of premier and finance minister.

Nor would he be president of the B.C. Railway or any other government post, unlike his two predecessors.

All officers of Crown Corporation would be professional people, although there would be cabinet represent-

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Inside the Smoke Screen

No one ever promised that the struggle to bring inflation under control would be a blitzkrieg, over and done within a few months of stiff, stern measures aimed at inflated incomes and wages and prices. It would be a long haul, as Prime Minister Trudeau told Canadians on Thanksgiving Day.

We now have lived with the struggle for two months, and it is not too soon to make some preliminary judgments and assessments of the progress so far. To date, the impression most Canadians probably have is of utter confusion down in Ottawa, with the principals contradicting each other and acting at cross purposes — all behind a smoke screen which apparently descended the day after Trudeau's speech and hasn't lifted yet.

The best example is the Anti-Inflation Board's decision to reject the 30-month, 38 per cent pay increase which ended the six-week postal strike by the Canadian Union of Postal Workers. The AIB said the average annual increase was six percentage points above the government's guidelines, and therefore could not be allowed. Even though it was almost identical to a contract signed several months ago, without a strike, by the letter carriers.

The AIB only recently allowed a similar situation to pass, when it approved a contract signed by Falconbridge nickel workers in Ontario which was close to one negotiated earlier this year by workers at International nickel. It says the employees of both firms should be considered, for purposes of the anti-inflation guidelines, one group.

But in the case of the post office, the people who sort the mail and the individuals who deliver it are entirely different groups, according to the AIB, even though they have a traditional wage parity.

The cabinet decision to overrule the AIB was in the circumstances just and fair — and the only possible thing it could have decided. Canadians will not see it as a glaring exemption from the anti-inflation guidelines. The CUPW was without a contract for almost a year. No group should be singled out for retroactive retribution.

Canadians recognize that new contracts and wage settlements covering the months and years ahead will have to be trimmed and held down if inflation is to be beaten, but to look backwards and make the postal workers victims of hindsight is patently unfair.

The affair demonstrates further that Ottawa still, after two months, hasn't gotten its act together. There was talk a while ago of AIB chairman Jean-Luc Pepin being kept on a very short leash by Trudeau, recently we have had examples of each making contradictory statements and claiming misquotation, now the embarrassing predicament of whether to rule against the inflation guidelines or the postal workers and surely precipitate another strike.

For the average working man, for those being asked to bear the brunt of the anti-inflation struggle (if you don't believe that, look at recent statements of the chartered banks' zooming profits, the steady rise in the consumer price index), the disarray in Ottawa is not a very reassuring sight.

Chasing It Higher

Urban Affairs Minister Barney Danson's announcement of an increase in the ceiling figures under the Assisted Home Ownership Program will perhaps help a few struggling individuals to find accommodation. The increase of $3,000 to $45,000 for Victoria and the $4,000 jump in Vancouver to $47,000 will assist some, undoubtedly.

But didn't anyone tell Danson that the average price of a home in the metropolitan Vancouver area now is well over $65,000? It is almost that high in the Victoria region.

Can anyone hope to find new accommodation in either centre for under $47,000? Small homes 25 years old and without basements are selling for as much as the AHOP limit allows. It would be a good deal more accurate to call it the assisted condominium ownership program, for that's about the only type of housing anyone will be able to afford with those price ceilings.

Builders complained the limits were too low before, that few people could take advantqge under the plan. So Danson raised the limits, but only by what was allowed under the anti-inflation guidelines. Would that the real estate market observed the same, or the mortgage departments of the chartered banks and trust companies!

Ottawa is not going to solve the housing shortage in Canada by continuing programs such as AHOP, with its unrealistic guidelines and ceilings. Has Ottawa decided that from now on Canadians shall live in condominium apartments — many of which are designed for families with children — .or cramped garden townhouses? Is the single-family detached home on its own piece of land a thing of the past? In a country with as much open space left as Canada, in a province which produces as much building materials within 40 miles of this city — the answer has to be no.

Instead of chasing after the incredibly high-priced housing that is being built in Canada today, throwing money at it with programs such as AHOP, why aren't governments (federal and provincial) tackling the main cause of the housing shortage — high interest rates and high land prices? A concerted effort by both levels of government to get building lots on the market at a price low enough so interest rates don't eat up everything shouldn't be impossible. They haven't really tried yet.

HAROLD GREER

Doctors Await Inflation Guide

TORONTO — If Ontario teachers have been shocked beyond belief by the way the federal Anti-Inflation Board has treated them, Ontario doctors are about to have apoplexy.

The teachers are now muttering about a province-wide walkout because they cannot understand how the AIB could tell metro Toronto's 8,600 striking high school teachers that even their employers' last offer would violate the anti-inflation guidelines.

Metro school boards had offered salary increases of 39.2 per cent over two years, plus a partial cost-of-living increase. A provincial fact-finder had recommended 43.9 per cent plus full cost-of-living recognition, and the teachers went on strike rather than take less. Both sides appealed to the AIB for some guidance and were told the obvious, that even the school boards' offer would be unacceptable. The teachers still can't believe it.

Imagine then how the doctors are going to react when the AIB guidelines are applied to the Ontario Medical Association's (OMA) proposed fee schedule for next May and thereafter, which is designed to increase medical incomes, net of expenses, by 48 per cent on the average in one year.

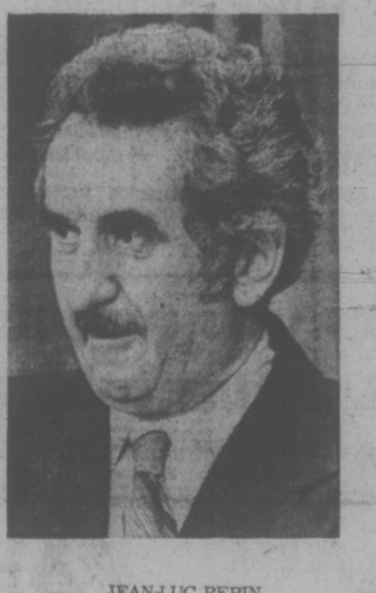
Doctors Stunned

There is no way the AIB can allow anything of the sort, of course, and most doctors must know it. Even so, the confusion over how the guidelines will work with respect to professional income has been such that most doctors are likely to be stunned by what the AIB will accept, which according to this reporter's not-so-uninformed figuring, is 11 or maybe, being generous, 12 per cent a year.

Admittedly the AIB regulations will not be known until Dec. 15 at the earliest, but they are not going to clarify all that much. The basic rules are set out in the federal White Paper of Oct. 15 and the regulations will merely define what a "professional" is, what constitutes a "group" of professionals, and so on. As far as doctors are concerned, virtually all that needs to be known is known.

And the White Paper says, in effect, that fees can be increased so as to cover increased expenses and provide additional net income of $2,400 on the average in 1976 for doctors doing the same amount of work as they did in 1975.

The OMA contends that the average net income of Ontario doctors working full-time on a fee-for-service basis is currently $43,500 a year. It also contends office overhead and other doctor expenses currently consume 40 per cent, on the average, of gross income. This means the average gross income for doctors in Ontario is currently $72,500 and the average cost of practice is currently $29,000 a year.



JEAN-LUC PEPIN
. . . can't have 43 per cent — or 39

To apply the anti-inflation guidelines to these figures, it is only necessary to know how much doctor expenses have gone up on the average during the base year — that is, 1975. Here there is some difficulty with the statistics.

For years, the cost of practice consumed a fairly stable one-third of gross income but the OMA contends it has been 40 per cent for some time now which is rather strange since under the federal guidelines this diminishes rather than enhances the argument for higher fees. Let us therefore be generous and assume that before fees last went up — up four per cent last May 1 — expenses represented 36 per cent of gross income and have since risen to 40 per cent, which is an increase of four percentage points or 11 per cent.

This means the cost of practice has increased on the average by $2,874 during 1975. Under the federal guidelines, the OMA can adjust its fees to pass this cost on. It can also adjust them to provide for additional net income on the average of $2,400. Therefore, the allowable AIB increase for 1976 should be about $5,274 and the average medical income in Ontario, for fee-for-service doctors, will rise from $43,500 net to $48,774 net, which is an increase of 12 per cent.

Just how this increase in net income will be reflected in fee increases, however, is at this point obscure, since only the OMA knows what changes in the fee schedule are necessary to produce what changes in net income. The OMA has said that to produce its sought-after 48 per cent hike in average net income, the profession's revenue from fees must rise by 35 per cent. Using the same ratio for a 12 per cent increase in net income, it would appear that the fee schedule should be increased over-all by 8.75 per cent.

Vitally Interested

The Ontario government, of course, is vitally interested in this aspect of the issue since it pays 90 per cent of OMA fees for services under medicare. Some 90 per cent of Ontario doctors accept this in full payment. Taking these factors into account, it would appear that an increase in the OMA fee schedule of 9.5 to 10 per cent, over-all, is necessary to provide the increases in doctors' incomes which will be allowable under the federal guidelines.

The government has budgetted $724 million in the current fiscal year for medicare, of which $683 million will go to doctors in payment for services. Assuming no increase in patient loads and utilization rates—obviously an unrealistic assumption—some $60 million will have to be added to the medicare budget next year just to finance the income increases to which doctors are entitled under the guidelines.

Currently, negotiations between the government and the OMA are adjourned while the doctors try to find out where they stand with the AIB. Health Minister Frank Miller has said, not surprisingly, that the OMA's proposal of 48 per cent is just not acceptable but he has been coy, pending the federal regulations, as to what is. Come Dec. 15, the howls will begin.

Markeham Road farm overlooking Quick's Bottom in Saanich

George Dufour photo

RICHARD GWYN

AIB—Fairness and Firmness?

OTTAWA — In the best, be-scientific-and-first-define-your-objectives style expected of executives today, one wall of Mike McCabe's office is covered with sheets of flip-chart paper, in a large hand (so you can read the writing from across the room). McCabe, the official responsible for the Anti-Inflation Board's information program, has covered half of one sheet with this message:

"Fairness. Firmness. The program will be tough on price issues, on bus-loophole-finders and offenders, and on loop-hole-finders and offenders, and on government itself."

A sound public relation strategy, and a predictable one: First zap a business firm for price gouging so that you store up credit against the day when the board has to reject some union's wage demand.

Nothing ever happens so neatly. Instead, labor last week became the first example of what the board is all about. Toronto's 8,800 secondary school teachers, announced chairman Jean-Luc Pepin, will have to accept less than the 39.2-per-cent increase over two years already offered them by the school board, let alone the 43.9 per cent demanded by the teachers themselves.

May Yet Work

Far, far better for the propects for a national anti-inflation consensus that some company should have been the first casualty of the controls program. Better also that other Ontario teachers should not have been able to settle earlier in the year for increases higher than those their Toronto colleagues will get now.

You can argue the details — the softness of the Ontario government as it shuffled toward last September's election (in fact it allowed the other teachers their fat wage increase)—but the end result is still the same.

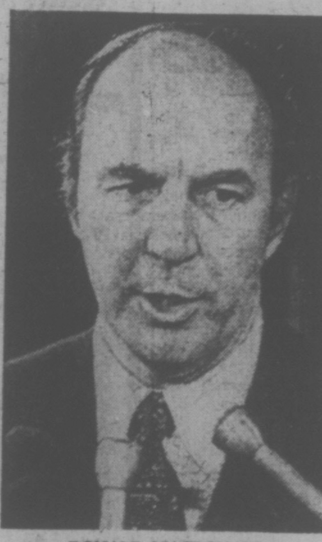
Once you've made up your mind to say no, there's no way to do it except to say no. No to the teachers. No to the postal workers. No to any union that strikes no matter for how long, for an increase larger than the 12 per cent allowed. No, no, no. The alternative, as everyone knows, would be to turn controls into a charade.

For firmness, the board now rates an A-plus. "Some people will be amazed at our intestinal fortitude," said Pepin, More to the point, most people will be delighted.

Fairness now becomes the test. Wages, as union leaders repeatedly have argued, are easy to control because they are so visible. To be fair, and to be seen to be fair, the board now must be as firm on "price issues, on businesses and professionals and on all loophole finders."

Prices and corporate profits are critical. Unions are convinced that neither will be touched. Canadians, by a margin of 48 per cent to 34 per cent according to a Gallup poll, believe that excess profits, rather than excess labor costs, are the cause of inflation.

"I'd just love to have some company step out of line," says Bob Johnston, executive director of the board. "They know that, which makes it tougher for us."



DONALD MACDONALD
. . . rejected a surtax so far

The details of price and profit controls won't be known until next week when the board publishes its regulations. Some reasons for cautious optimism exist. Corporations, if out of self-interest, "are co-operating our heads off," says Johnstone. Four supermarket chains have voluntarily frozen some of their prices and several banks have done the same with their service charges—public relations gestures, no doubt, but helpful all the same. Last, and most important, the penalties for "loophole-finders" will be severe.

The real crunch is professional incomes. In contrast to organized workers, professionals such as doctors, lawyers, dentists and accountants can evade controls even though their fee schedules are regulated. To earn more money, professionals need only cram in more clients each day. Also, many professional fee schedules mean about as much as "suggested" list prices do to used car salesmen.

Despite demands by several provinces, Finance Minister Donald Macdonald has, so far, rejected proposals for a surtax to scoop away all increases in professional salaries above the $2,400 maximum increase allowed. Macdonald's reasoning (he prefers a semi-voluntary approach) — hard-working professionals would be discouraged and would quit work as soon as they'd made the $2,400 extra allowed.

Not to Everyone

No, a thousand times no. True, some lawyers and doctors might take off early for Florida rather than work the rest of the year for, in effect, no income. The threat that para-medics and para-lawyers would be allowed into their occupations would bring them back. So would the threat of government regulation of these self-policing professions. This justice may be rough. If it isn't applied the cabinet and its advisers, naturally, think like professionals and not like assembly-line workers, union suspicions will be proven right.

For the controls program ever to begin, someone had to say the first no. Pepin has said it to the teachers. For the program to succeed, everyone has to be told no. That responsibility rests with government. The program faltered at its start because the government allowed its senior civil servants to accept increases of up to $6,000. If the government now will act decisively against professionals and roll back the increases of its own mandarins then possibly, just possibly, this controls program may yet be made to work.

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Family Life Program

Through an article in a recent edition (Nov. 26) of the Victoria Times I learned that a family life education program was under discussion and development within the district. In this same article I learned that a group of concerned parents had succeeded in "ousting a proposed sex education program from Sooke School district's elementary schools," to quote the Times. I do not know how these "concerned parents" became aware that the program was under consideration by the board nor do I understand how the board could have allowed discussion on this very important issue to proceed to such a stage without attempting to obtain the views of all concerned parents within the district.

My purpose in writing this letter is to strongly urge the board to reopen discussion of the family life education program and allow all concerned parents within the district to air their views. Allowing a vocal few to control the educational opportunities of the whole community without adequate public discussion is certainly not in the long-term interest of the community. May I suggest an open school board meeting with adequate advance publicity. Presumably this would allow the board to "get a reading" on the views held by a broader representation of parents from the district.

If all parents in the district have an opportunity to voice their opinions and a majority agree that family life education should be part of the elementary school curriculum, then it is possible to discuss the particulars of a program which meets the perceived needs of the students and is simultaneously acceptable to parents. We should not, however, allow the particulars of a program (e.g., certain reference material) to destroy the principle, as now appears to be the case.

Again, I urge the board to reconsider and give this issue an adequate hearing. — Verne W. Loose, 3895 Metchosin Road.

Meter Revenue

According to an article in the December 4 issue of the Victoria Times, the Finance Committee has decided to channel increased parking meter revenues into a reserve fund for building more downtown parking facilities. I strongly object to this decision, which was taken over the advice of city comptroller to the contrary.

In the interest of fairness, parking meter revenues should be used to compensate pedestrians and transit users for their loss of amenity and tax dollars due to motorists. At present, parking meters, signs, and entrances to parking structures take up a substantial portion of the already inadequate sidewalk space allotted to foot traffic. Meter revenues could be used to provide benches, shelters, and wider sidewalks at bus stops and other heavily used predestrian areas. Also, exclusive bus lanes should be designated downtown, and city traffic engineers should investigate the possibility of installing remote controlled bus sensors which phase traffic lights in favor of transit vehicles. These measures would reduce downtown traffic, congestion for the benefit of all while reducing energy consumption and saving precious downtown land for productive and tax-generating uses.

In light of these arguments, I ask you to please reconsider your decision on the disposition of this year's parking revenues. Earmarked funding for the exclusive use of motor vehicles has helped to produce the characteristically car dominated, lifeless downtowns so typical of U.S. cities. Is that what we want for Victoria? — Ross Wilkins, 2095, Oak Bay Avenue.

Pensioners' Thanks

During the lengthy postal strike it was only through the media of our local newspapers and radio stations that the Canadian National Railway Pensioners were kept informed as to time and place where their pension checks could be picked up. This assistance proved invaluable to us and hope that the public in general begin to realize how much we owe them — once again thanks for a job well done.

L. J. Kirkham, Secretary,
C. N. Pensioners Assn. Br. 6.

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Bawlf Foresees More Power To Councils

An Inner Harbor planning role will be returned to the city of Victoria under the Social Credit government, and there may be some changes to streamline the operation of the Princess Marguerite, Victoria MLA-elect Sam Bawlf said today.

Bawlf said it will be the general philosophy of Bill Bennett's government to return more autonomy to local government in the province, and that will be especially important in the case of the capital city's waterfront, where the previous government had trampled on city jurisdiction.

"As far as the Inner Harbor is concerned we really should have more input from the duly elected civic representatives and their planning processes than was the case under the latter government," he said.

"They are closer to the people and better able to express the aspirations of the community in a comprehensive way."

Bawlf warned, however, that as B.C.'s economy is far from being a "bottomless pit" the city shouldn't count on a major spending spree in the development of publicly-owned lands along the Inner Harbor waterfront.

Planning and development in the area will have to be of a more gradual, evolutionary nature, he said.

Bawlf said the Princess Marguerite's management structure might be consolidated with that of the B.C. Ferries fleet to provide a common accounting and cost control system.

"We realize, of course, that she has been subsidized by the taxpayer but what we are trying to do is streamline the organization of this service and get some consolidated accounting so that we know exactly what it is costing the taxpayer."

Other changes, he said, could include extending the vessel's operating life through the winter months to provide passenger service between Victoria and Vancouver.

Bawlf is resigning his city council seat and a byelection to fill the vacancy is expected to be held in late February.

He noted that if the provincial election had been held earlier the byelection for his vacancy could have been held Nov. 15, the date of the last civic election, and taxpayers would have been saved some money.

City clerk Morran Waller estimated byelection costs would amount to about $5,000, including $2,300 for the preparation of a new voters' list.

To allow the maximum time possible for preparations he said he'll recommend that council set the date for nominations at 45 days after the receipt of Bawlf's resignation.

Boater Saved After Blast

A Salt Spring Island man was rushed to Rest Haven Hospital in Sidney Friday after his boat exploded and sank in Satellite Channel.

Don Smith of Ganges was aboard his power cruiser Renegade I Friday afternoon when the boat was wracked by an explosion and Smith thrown into the water near Moses Point.

A hospital spokesman reported later that Smith was in satisfactory condition.

CITY POLICE MAKE PINCH IN A TRICE

It took just three minutes Friday for city police to wrap up a car theft report.

A woman phoned the Fisgard Street station at 10:57 a.m. to say her car was missing "in the last few minutes" from its parking place on Bay Street.

Const. Peter Lawson, driving a police car on Quadra, had just finished noting the description radioed by the dispatcher when he saw a similar car pass. He turned around, stopped the driver and radioed completion of the incident before 11 a.m.

Richard Noel Steeds, 17, of 798 Suffolk, was charged with car theft in Victoria provincial court Friday afternoon. He was remanded in custody for a bail hearing Monday.

Pure Water, Recreation— 'It's Too Costly for Both'

By PAUL MOSS
Times Staff

A soft-sell "commercial" commissioned by the Greater Victoria Water Board at a cost of $25,000 will soon start spreading the message through the community that residents can either have pure water or recreational use of the watershed lands — but not both.

At least, not without the high cost of a treatment plant.

The 24-minute color film entitled Water, Life to a City, produced by Victoria filmmaker Wilf Gray, received a warm reception when it was shown for the first time Friday to board members.

Chairman Mayor Peter Pollen said it would be a useful means of informing schools and the public generally about the resource, its vital role in the community and the importance of protecting it against contamination.

The film is apparently intended to counter the arguments advanced over the years by various strong lobby groups, including fish and game clubs, that the Sooke watershed lands which supply Greater Victori's drinking water should be opened to recreational use.

Its commentary points out that recreation and pure water are incompatible without costly investment in treatment plant, because opening the watershed lands to hikers and others would raise the possibility of fecal contamination, forest fires and other hazards.

Shots of clear, tinkling streams are contrasted with clips showing the massive plant needed to purify the drinking water used by the city of Calgary.

The film includes spectacular aerial views of Sooke Lake, Victoria and the Inner Harbor. And this was one of the aspects which had Pollen a little worried.

He wondered aloud, jokingly, whether it showed the area in such an attractive light that it would encourage yet more people to settle here.

The board asked Water Commissioner Ron Upward to recommend how many extra prints of the film would be needed, at about $240 per print, to ensure adequate circulation through schools, libraries and community groups.

Hi Ho Silver! Pollen Exits

Almost as much silverware as you'd find in the average jeweler's was being flashed around the aldermen's lounge at City Hall after one city council meeting this week.

It was the last meeting chaired by Mayor Peter Pollen before he quits the job next week after four years.

On behalf of council and the city, his successor, mayor-elect Ald. Mike Young, presented him with a handsome sterling silver water pitcher.

Young said council members hadn't always agreed with Pollen but had always held him in high esteem. He predicted Pollen would be "put back into harness" in some capacity after he returned from two months' well-earned holiday.

Retiring aldermen Clyde Savage, who with only one year's break has served on council since 1965, and Malcolm Anderson, also received mementoes in recognition of their service.

In addition, Pollen presented individually to all members of council and to city manager Jim Bramley silver cigarette boxes bearing the inscription: "With fond remembrance of things past, with best wishes for the future."

And earlier, before the council meeting, Pollen had presented a silver cigar box to Joe Cunliffe, retiring chairman of the city's Advisory Planning Commission, who has served on the APC for 11 years.

Christmas Tree Prices Static

With the price of everything from turkey and all the trimmings to holiday spirits up over last year, it's nice to find at least one Christmas essential that's stayed the same.

Christmas trees, from any of the myriad lots that have sprung up in Victoria in the last week, are still selling at between $1 and $1.50 a foot — the same as last year.

There are lots to choose from, from the littlest spindly pine, to a giant, seven-foot white spruce.

Ken McFayden, who has set up his lot on Saanich Road just off Douglas, expects to sell more than 700 trees this season.

McFayden cuts the trees from his property in Courtenay and trucks his selection to Victoria where he lives in a rented trailer until the last one is sold the day or so before Christmas.

His trees sell for an average of $1 a foot, a bit more if the tree is especially bushy and a bit less if it's a little lean.

Don Thompson sells his trees from a former body shop lot on Dauglas north of Hillside and says if the good weather holds this should be a good year. People apparently don't like to go Christmas tree shopping in the rain.

He gets his trees from his brother's tree farm in Shawnigan, buys a regular business licence from the city and sets up shop.

The 1st Douglas Boy scouts have set up their regular tree lot on Cloverdale again and are selling the trees for about $1 a foot too, but "we'll negotiate," says Bill Lawrence, chairman of the scouts committee who spent this morning unloading trees.

The scouts have a "friend and business partner" in Duncan who has a tree farm. The scouts go to the farm once a year to prune the trees and then get them for what Lawrence says is a good price.

All the profits from the sales go towards boy scout activities.

—John McKay photo

SCOUT TREES are unloaded today by Bill Lawrence, left, assisted by Wieber Blaanstra.

Commission To Oversee Rec Centre

A growing recreation empire on the Old Island Highway has led to formation of a new commission to run it.

The Capital Regional Board has given final reading to a bylaw establishing the Juan de Fuca Recreation Commission and has also named eight residents of Colwood, Langford and Metchosin to sit on it.

The centre includes Centennial swimming pool, the adjacent park which is the former Colwood race track, ice arena, senior citizens centre and newly-completed curling rink.

The commission, which will include the regional directors for the three electoral areas, has been delegated the board's authority to equip, maintain and manage the facilities, including setting of admission charges, appointing staff, setting the operating rules and programs.

But the regional board retains the right to approve these as well as the annual budget the commission is charged with preparing.

Regional directors sitting on the new commission are Earl Pallister for Langford, Dick Emery for Colwood and J. M. (Mac) Tipton for Metchosin.

With Emery retiring from the board at the end of the year, newly-elected director Howard Drummond will take his place.

The board has appointed Mrs. Audrey Davison and Paul Hansen of Langford, Garnet States of Colwood and E. J. Phillips of Metchosin to the commission for one-year terms.

Appointed for two-year terms are John McIllree of Langford, Donald Milton of Colwood and John Buchanan of Metchosin.

'Wild' Shoppers Create Yule Gift Survey Snafu

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Oh, why do we do it?

You know, this started out as a sort of survey. It was going to dazzle you and enlighten you as to what people are buying people this Christmas. To hell with it!

All sorts of facts and figures were going to be gleaned on an expedition, a trek into the wild world of Victoria Christmas shopping. But no thanks. One look at that traffic, at those drivers determined to wedge their huge cars into parking spaces far too small for them; at all those shoppers staring straight ahead, marching with great purpose, was too much for me. Wild is the operative word.

The trouble is, as well as being a bit of a coward when it comes to facing crowds, I'm not a very good shopper. In fact, I'm a very bad shopper. I go into stores and just sort of gaze at things and leave a little while later clutching one of the things after having been assured: "Oh yes, the Little Lady will just love it . . ." And, of course, the "Little Lady" doesn't just love it. She just hates it, as is evidenced by the number of trips which have to be made to exchange things once the decorations have come down and the tree has been tossed out of the window.

For the last three Christmases I have bravely battled the hordes and proudly taken home a housecoat to surprise my wife. And each time it has ended up back in the store. That's it! No more housecoats.

I have to admit, though, it's fun sitting with half-closed eyes long before the curtain of darkness has lifted outside, opening presents on Christmas morning. And it's rewarding to see the joy in small faces — and sometimes in big faces, too — as the wrapping paper comes off.

If you are interested in my abortive survey, I did discover that one of the hottest-selling items this Christmas is the calculator. Now permitted in certain grades in the schools, the calculator, say the salesmen, has become extremely popular with everyone — children, housewives and businessmen.

Merchandise manager Jack Mitchell says Simpsons-Sears are selling between 200 and 300 calculators, ranging in price from $10.99 to $50, a week and having trouble keeping up with the demand.

I won't be too sad, though, if there isn't a calculator under the tree for me. I'm not really a calculator man. I don't have much to calculate. And besides, I hate calculating. Whatever happened to fingers, anyway?

What I did find that I liked (and probably won't get under the tree, either) was a pair of long white knitted socks in Woodward's. On each foot was Mickey Mouse, resplendent in Santa outfit and surrounded by holly and ribbons, and the words Happy Holidays. They would make my day.

Whatever your fancy when it comes to buying presents this year, it appears that you're buying more — or at least you're spending more money on the ones you are buying. That's what the people in the stores say, anyway.

Despite the words of doom from Ottawa, the wage and price controls, the talk of recession, of inflation and other frightening things, shoppers in Victoria are spending more this Christmas.

In November, retail sales were up 20 per cent in the city from November last year, a study by Canada Manpower the politicians forecast a grim year of belt-tightening ahead.

The British people responded by dashing out and buying everything in sight. It was a record spending-spree Christmas.

Now, don't get me wrong. I'm not preaching or practising anything. I'll probably spend more this Christmas than I ever have (even without the housecoat).

But why do we do it? Why don't we heed the warnings?

Perhaps you can't answer this. And perhaps I can't. But I think Len Laudadio, chairman of the economics department at the University of Victoria, makes a pretty good job of it.

Firstly, a ray of brightness in the gloom.

Laudadio thinks the economy is not in such a bad shape after all. The 7.3 per cent unemployment is not bad for Canada, he says. After all, it's been running at 9 per cent in the United States for the last two years, and they're still doing well, he points out.

And the Italian-born economist thinks the word recession is too strong. If you must, he'll call it "a minor recession" which, when related to Christmas buying, is making people more aware of quality. They're not buying so much junk.

But why are we all continuing to spend money as though it's going out of style?

Laudadio smiles.

"The Christmas feeling just overwhelms whatever economic woes there are," he says. "During the bad depression, every business suffered except the movie houses. You've got to be able to forget about the bad things.

"I think you'll find that the amount of giving, too, to charities, is far higher this year . . . just because it's Christmas," Laudadio smiles.

"There are far more important aspects that dominate people's life than economics," he explains. "Things like tradition, family feelings, religion. These are more important than economy."

"You can't buy the Christmas spirit," Laudadio adds wisely.

"Whatever the inflation in Canada — or the minor recession — it's not going to kill the Christmas spirit . . . whatever the Christmas spirit is."

Traffic Change Monday

A new traffic pattern comes into operation in the Old Town area on Monday, and city traffic chief Derek Wild today reminded all motorists and pedestrians to take special care at the changeover.

Until the spring while work is in progress installing underground services on Wharf Street, only southbound traffic will be allowed on Wharf between Yates and Government.

One lane of northbound traffic from the Causeway will be allowed onto the Government Street Mall, but it's designed only for those with a downtown destination or vehicles heading for the Johnson Street Bridge.

"Through" drivers with any other thoughts in mind will find their way barred by a traffic island at the Yates-Government intersection.

The layout in this area will also be an incentive for east-west traffic — Oak Bay to Esquimalt, for example — to use alternative routes such as Pandora Avenue for access to the Johnson Street Bridge.

Wild said the freedom from traffic on Government during the mall construction period has encouraged pedestrians to slip into free and easy habits. But from Monday they should be careful to use only designated crossing areas.

Ask The Times

Q. Can you tell me something about qualifications for the Foreign Legion?—R.R.

A. If you're thinking about joining the famous French government fighting unit, you must be between the ages of 18 and 40 and enlist for a five-year hitch. The volunteer unit refuses no man unless he's known to be a murderer. A criminal in the organization is safe from prosecution during his term of service. But the number of criminals in the unit has been exaggerated in many fictional accounts. No Frenchman can join but some get in by giving false nationalities.

Q. Are bittersweet and the woody nightshade the same plant?—O.T.

A. Yes. Bittersweet is a climbing vine which often grows about 20 feet long in moist woodlands and along the edge of ponds. It's related to the potatoe, tomatoe, the deadly nightshade and the eggplant. Bittersweet grows in temperate regions of Canada and the U.S. and its berries are poisonous. Its tiny flowers are purple, blue or white and look like those of

Send your questions to Ask the Times, 2621 Douglas Street.
Thev should be of general interest and deal with matters of fact.

Socred Win Dims Hallmark Hope

The change of government this week spells bad news for the Hallmark Society and its volunteers who try to save heritage buildings for posterity.

Founder Carolyn Smyly, currently a member of the group's executive, Friday expressed discouragement on behalf of herself and others who have devoted years to their struggle for public and government support.

Social Credit objectives would not likely include heritage homes, she said.

"It's not just a few old buildings."

The long-term result of continually destroying familiar and representative landmarks in the city is a loss to all in the quality of life, she indicated.

"I'm convinced the rapid rate of change is responsible for so many of our social ills and this is just one way of saying a few landmarks so that people recognize the face of their city."

She had no illusions that the new government would be interested in such an environmental consideration in view of the economic priorities of premier-elect Bill Bennett.

Smyly said the society was on the verge of saving the former Muirhead home at 527 Esquimalt Road, which is an example of 1880s architecture.

The owner, Erick Ramage, of Bonneydoon Properties Ltd., Richmond, was co-operating with society's efforts to interest the provincial public works department in having the house moved to a government lot in James Bay where it would blend with other houses used for governmen offices.

She said the department was prepared to spend money to move the house and renovate it, but the final decison was left to the eve of the election and then dropped by a se-

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nior civil servant who preferred to play cautious.

The loss of the Muirhead house, which may be demolished after today, comes hard on the loss of a Samuel Maclure-designed home at 821 Burdett, which the Hallmark Society had hoped to have designated formally as a heritage home.

Smyly said there is now "not a chance" of either house being saved by provincial government intervention.

And she is fearful of house after house coming down in future.

"God, I get tired of losing one after another . . ." she said.

"I'm convinced with the change of government it is highly unlikely there will be the kind of legislation we've been hoping for. All our work has gone down the drain; the economic pressures now will be greater than the environmental ones. There will be superb rationaalization."

She noted Ald. Sam Bawlf, the successful Social Credit candidate in the provincial election, is a supporter of heritage concepts and as a developer has retained some of the older downtown buildings for modern purposes.

"Even if Sam Bawlf went out on a limb and worked like hell, there is not a chance of saving that building" in the face of new Socred priorities, she said, referring to the Muirhead house.

The next one of significance to be demolished will be dwelling at the southwest corner of Linden and Rockland, she predicted.

This home, now divided into 11 apartments, has a fine late Victorian style exterior, and there has been no attempt on the part of city council to designate it as a heritage structure, Smyly said.

"It is most discouraging for a volunteer group if you don't get a success once in a while. How long do you go on beating your head against a wall? You burn yourself out after a while."

ICBC Forms Await Socred Word

VANCOUVER (CP) — Distribution of 1976 Autoplan renewal forms that were being readied just before Thursday's British Columbia election has been delayed.

A spokesman for the government-run Insurance Corporation of B.C. said Friday that distribution of the forms won't proceed until the corporation receives approval or otherwise for a proposed new rate structure from the incoming Social Credit cabinet of premier-elect Bill Bennett.

The New Democratic Party government said before its defeat that the new rates would mean an average increase of 19 per cent for basic compulsory coverage over 1975 rates.

With the government's defeat, the ICBC spokesman said, processing of the renewal forms will have to await approval from the new cabinet.

"Our computers were set to print the renewals of everybody as of election day," he said, "but that has not proceeded . . . things are on hold pending instructions from the new cabinet."

If the new cabinet takes over within a week, as expected, this will leave ample time for consideration of the rate schedule, with possible changes, and distribution of renewal forms by the March 1 start of the new insurance year.

The proposed rate increases were found to be necessary by the NDP because of mounting ICBC deficits, starting with $35 million in Autoplan's first year in 1974. Estimates for the 1975 deficit range from $50 million to $95 million.

Bennett promised during the election campaign to open up auto insurance to competition from private insurers and to end the monopoly on the field held by the NDP government-established ICBC.

He has not yet said how quickly his government may act on ICBC matters.

During the election campaign he rejected any suggestion of subsidizing ICBC from general government revenues, as the NDP was prepared to do. Bennett said his rejection of subsidies could mean substantial Autoplan premium increases, subject to possibly more competitive rates from private insurance companies.

Meanwhile, tenants' organization reaction to the Social Credit victory was stunned and flabergasted while landlords look forward to meeting with the new government.

"We're not ecstatic," Jean Swanson, of the downtown Eastside Residents Association, said Friday.

"We're stunned, most of our active people were assisting New Democratic Party candidates in one riding or another," said Margaret Dewees of the B.C. Tenants Organization. "They're flabergasted."

Richard Dolman, executive director of a landlord group, said the B.C. Rental Housing Council is looking forward to meeting the new cabinet and particularly the attorney-general and housing minister.

"We had very little rapport with the last government . . . very little communication," Dolman said. "They weren't really interested in listening to us; as a result our industry had no confidence and failed to build rental housing over the last three years.

"We expect we will be able to have constructive discussion with them (Social Credit)," he said.

Farm Income Rises 8.9%

OTTAWA (CP) — Farmers' income from operations in all provinces except Newfoundland during the first 10 months of the year totalled $85.11 billion, up 8.9 per cent from $7.38 billion in the same period last year, Statistics Canada reports.

Farmers' income by province for the January-October period:

Prince Edward Island $63 million, Nova Scotia $94 million, New Brunswick $77 million, Quebec $1.09 billion, Ontario $2.09 billion, Manitoba $742 million, Saskatchewan $2.04 billion, Alberta $1.58 billion, British Columbia $322 million.

The figures include Canadian Wheat Board payments on previous' years grain crops as well as various government subsidies.

GOV'T FORMALLY SIGNS CUPW PACT

OTTAWA (CP) — The government and the Canadian Union of Postal Workers formally signed a contract Friday giving inside workers an increase of $1.70 an hour over 30 months.

At a late cabinet session Thursday night, the cabinet overruled an anti-inflation board ruling that the settlement went beyond the government's anti-inflation program.

A post office spokesman also said retroactive pay of $500 for GUPW members was going out Friday and Monday.

The $500 is a portion of retroactive pay the workers received under the contract.

capital scene

The Victoria branch of the Royal Scottish Country Dance Society will hold its Christmas party Wednesday, Dec. 17 at 8 p.m. at the auditorium of Sir James Douglas School.

For further information on the party and new classes starting in January contact Gerry Dunn at 598-6547 or Joe Huebner at 384-2652.

Britannia branch No. 7 the Royal Canadian Legion will meet Tuesday, Dec. 16 at 7:45 p.m. at the branch, 1616 Blanshard St.

Norland Slag Nord Kapp Lodge will meet for an election of officers and bingo Tuesday, Dec. 16.

The Victoria Business and Professional Womens Club will hold its monthly dinner meeting Monday, Dec. 15 at 6:15 p.m. at the Post House Restaurant, Coachman Inn, 229 Gorge Road.

The Saanich International Folk Dancers beginners class is being held every Wednesday at 8:30 p.m. at the Old Gordon Head Hall, Tyndall and San Pedro Streets.

Intermediate class is held every Friday at 8 p.m. at Fairburn School in Gordon Head.

For information call C. Winn at 598-8742.

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her at 652-2025 or Mrs. Gordon Anthonisen at 383-4765. Meanwhile, people with clothing to donate are asked to hold it until further notice.

The USC has a target of $25,000 in Greater Victoria this year (donations last year totalled $21,060) and with the year-end approaching rapidly, contributions to date have just passed $10,000.

A $5 donation will buy 200 cups of milk.

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Dutch Now Eye Use of Force

AMSTERDAM (AP) — Premier Joop den Uyl of the Netherlands says he will not rule out the use of force to free 53 hostages held by South Moluccan nationalists in two sieges.

Den Uyl, speaking to reporters late Friday, said "there are no clear prospects for a quick, bloodless end to the sieges," in which four persons have died.

He voiced concern for the health of the hostages, some of whom have been captive for nearly two weeks. He met with top ministers at The Hague into the early hours today.

In his latest offer, the premier promised that the Netherlands would reconsider its stand on the South Moluccan issue after the hostages are released.

PRIZE COMES IN PAYMENTS

DUBLIN (UPI) — Winners of the Irish Hospitals Sweepstakes super prize of $812,000 next year will receive the prize money in installments, a contest spokesman says.

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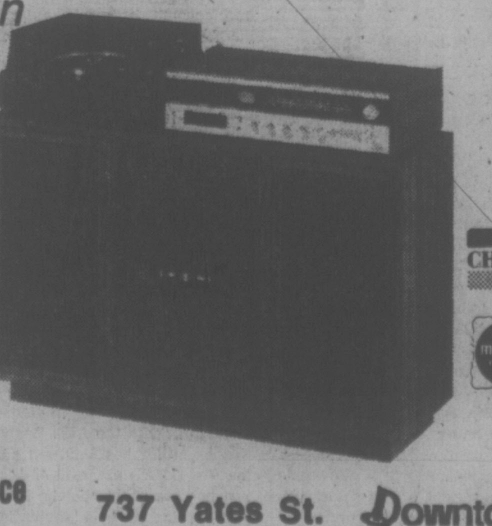

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A CANTATA that tells the story of the life of the Christmas saint, Nicolas, will be sung by Amity Singers in a special concert at Christ Church Cathedral, Friday, at 8:30 p.m. The work is by Benjamin Britten and it is the principal item on a program to be conducted by Jon Washburn. Tenor soloist will be Brian Trevor of the University of Western Ontario and also participating will be the children's choir of View Royal Elementary School under direction of Lorna Griffiths. Washburn will also lead the audience and Amity in a sing-along of popular Christmas carols. Also on the program is a short piece by Ned Rorem titled A Sermon on Miracles.

'Toad of Toad Hall' Staged By Reynolds Secondary

One of the special events of a family kind occurring this Christmas in Greater Victoria is the Reynolds Secondary School production of Toad of Toad Hall.

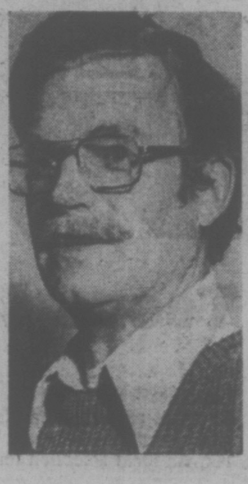
This is the entertaining stage version of Kenneth Grahame's charming fantasy, Wind in the Willows.

It will be presented Monday through Thursday at the school, with curtain at 8 p.m.

The story deals with a child's imaginative journey into a land where toads are stately country gentlemen who live in lavish castles and dress in princely finery.

Mr. Toad of the title role is a rather foolish fellow who gets himself into all sorts of frightful predicaments.

Working with the students for the past two months as director, Tony Burton has brought his considerable dramatic expertise into shaping a polished production.



BURTON

Burton came to Canada just over 20 years ago from England, leaving behind a considerable record of stage successes at both amateur and professional levels.

In Victoria he also soon made a reputation as one of the area's outstanding directors, staging festival winners both in adult and school festivals and himself adjudicating in various parts of the island.

Since Burton has been at Reynolds the school has done some important theatre works such as Peter Pan and Canticle for Leibowitz. Many students involved in these productions are participating in Toad.

Reynolds School is on Borden Street. Tickets will be available at the door at $2 for adults and $1 for students.

Mark Toby Works on Exhibit

Honoring internationally noted artist Mark Tobey on the occasion of his 85th birthday, Greater Victoria Art Gallery has organized an exhibition of his works.

It will open at the gallery, 1040 Moss, on Tuesday and remain on view through Feb. 1.

Frequently named by European art critics as among the first five most important living artists, Tobey gained international fame in the 1950s and in 1957 won the grand international prize at the world's major contemporary art show, the Venice Biennial.

For a number of years, from 1922, he resided in Seattle but travelled widely and through extended visits to China and Japan evolved his famous "white writing" style.

Always attracted to Victoria, he became a friend of Emily Carr in the '20s and his influence on her mature painting style was profound.

An exhibition of his work was held at Victoria Art Gallery in 1957 and in subsequent years he donated several works to its collection.

The coming exhibition is also a mark of appreciation to all those who have given works by Mark Tobey to the gallery's permanent collection.

Not Enough TV

CANTON, Ohio (AP) — Wide receiver Paul Warfield, who plays with Memphis, blames the lack of television exposure for the demise of the World Football League and the resultant "legal entanglements" for keeping him idle.

AT OPEN SPACE

A program of lunch hour entertainment will be hosted by Open Space Gallery, 506 Fort, Tuesday through Friday. After the holidays it will resume on Jan. 6 as an ongoing event.

Lunchspace will run from 12 noon to 1 p.m. and those attending will be asked to contribute 50 cents towards expenses.

A wide variety of dance, mime, lectures, music, demonstrations by artists, theatre and poetry by amateurs and professionals will be offered in a relaxed environment. Lunches may be brought and coffee will be available.

Performers interested in participating should phone Open Space, 383-8833, for an appointment. School groups and ideas will be welcome.

EXPERIMENTS IN MUSIC

An evening of music entitled Music Drifts for Lab and Circus will be offered at Open Space Theatre, 510 Fort, Thursday, by Presiecence, an experimental group whose members have been playing together for the last two years.

Performers are Michael Kenyon, Keith Pearson, Janice Prevedoros and Brad Prevedoros.

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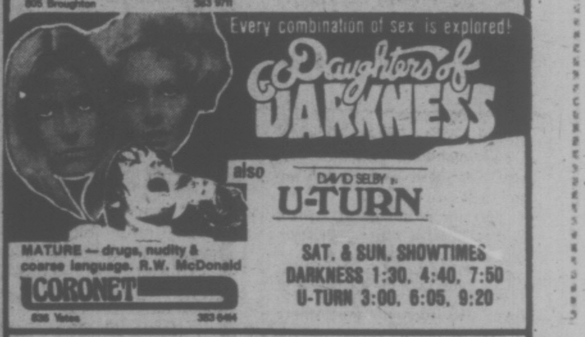

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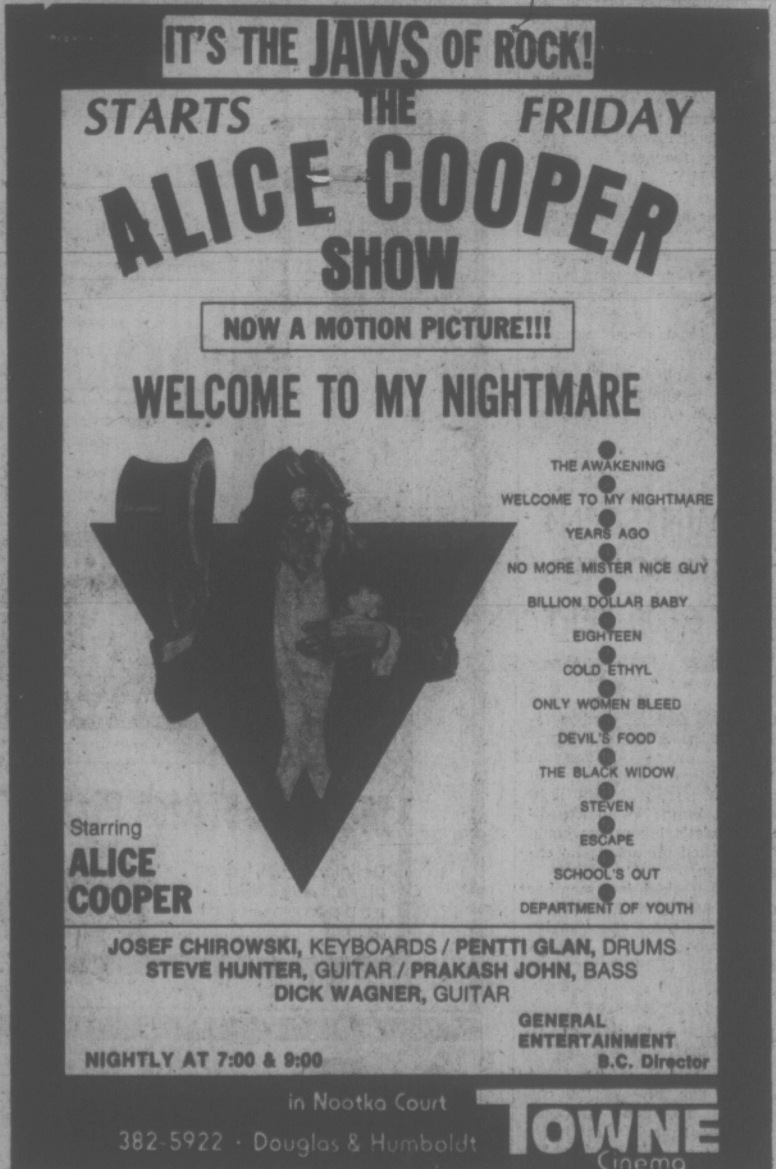

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